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Ready — Ron Stern, the director of Elementary Schools in the Granite City School District, reads a story to the first-graders taking part in the Running Start program at Frohardt School during the program kick-off assembly. More photos on Page 2A.

Three jump from burning building

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

A woman and two small children were forced to jump from the second story of an apartment building in Madison to escape a smoky fire early Monday morning.

The fire apparently started when a stove was left on.

According to police reports, Towanne S. Russell of the 100 series of Grenzer Homes was asleep at about 1:30 a.m. when her three-year-old daughter woke her up, complaining that she couldn't breath because of smoke.

Russell attempted to take her daughter and another three-year-old spending the night down the stairs, but could not because of heavy smoke.

She retreated to the bedroom, opened a window and dropped both children to the ground. She then jumped out of the apartment.

None of the three were injured.

Firefighters quickly put out the blaze.

The fire apparently started in the kitchen, where firefighters discovered one of the burners on the stove had been left on.

Russell said she did not remember leaving anything on the stove, and said the children may have turned it on.

Fire Chief Mike Foley said the three were lucky to have escaped unharmed. He added that the kitchen was extensively damaged by fire and the rest of the apartment received smoke damage.

Two die in accident in I-270 work zone

Pair were changing a flat tire at time

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Two people were killed Friday on Interstate 270 in Pontoon Beach after they were hit by a car while changing a flat tire.

The accident was the first fatality on that section of interstate since the start of a major construction project in June, although there have been a large number of minor accidents — mostly rear-enders.

Robin Chapman, 32, of Worden, and George Steward, 30, of Gillespie, were killed while changing a tire in the eastbound lane. Because of construction, the interstate has been restricted to one lane in either direction and a reversible lane.

Paul Gutgsell, 39, of Freeburg, was charged with driving under the influence and improper lane usage following the accident, according to a shift supervisor Monday at the Illinois State Police headquarters in Collinsville.

Gutgsell was taken to Anderson Hospital in Maryville, where he was treated for minor injuries.

According to State Police, at about 11:51 p.m. Friday, a car driven by Steward had a flat tire in the eastbound lane of I-270 near the intersection with Illinois 111.

Steward and Chapman were outside changing the tire when Gutgsell's pickup truck struck them.

The accident is still being investigated by the Illinois State Police, Madison County Sheriff's Department and the Madison County Coroner's office, and additional charges may be filed.

A joint funeral service for the two victims was scheduled for Tuesday at Bethalto Church of God.

Because of the Veteran's Day holiday, further information was unavailable.

An eight-mile section of I-270, between the Mississippi River and Illinois 111, is undergoing a $50-million renovation. The work is expected to be finished in the fall of 1999.

Drive nearing its goal

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

The Tri-Cities Area United Way campaign is close to reaching its record-setting goal.

The campaign had received pledges of $894,293 — about 81 percent of its $1.1 million goal — by Monday, said United Way Executive Director Jan Quarton.

"There are still enough big accounts out to reach the goal in time — but you just don't know if they'll be up (from last year) or down," Quarton said.

The drive is scheduled to conclude next Thursday, Nov. 21, with a final report breakfast at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church.

Among those not yet included in the 81 percent figure are American Steel Foundry, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Lanter Corp. and the Granite City School District, Quarton said.

The United Way provides funds for more than 60 health and human services programs in the area.

Partney criticizes city on annexation

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Mayoral candidate David Partney says Granite City officials should never have let the city of Madison annex portions of Chouteau Island, including Waste Management's Chain of Rocks Landfill.

But Mayor Ron Selph said the city is currently negotiating with its neighbor to the south and that the matter is being addressed.

Partney made the comment at last week's City Council meeting.

"This city needs to immediately file suit against the city of Madison," Partney said. "Waste Management takes a million dollars a year from the city."

Madison annexed about 600 acres of Chouteau Island, including the landfill and the old Chain of Rocks Bridge, Oct. 8. The annexed property extends from the south end of the island to Interstate 270, excluding property owned by the federal government such as Lock and Dam 27 and the Tri-City Regional Port.

All of the annexed parcels are owned by Waste Management.

The property is about five miles away from Madison proper, but less than a mile from Granite City's northern boundary.

The annexation by Madison was possible because State Sen. Evelyn Bowles was able to tack an amendment to a Republican-sponsored bill allowing municipalities with property on both an island and mainland adjacent to the the Mississippi River to "jump over" federally-owned property for further annexation of properties located on the other side of the federally-owned property.

Bowles said last week that Madison is the only municipality in the state that meets the legislative criteria.

Partney noted that emergency vehicles from Madison responding to an accident or fire in the area would have to drive through Granite City to get there.

Madison officials are in the process of negotiating a mutual aid agreement with the Mitchell Fire Protection District. Further annexations are contemplated and would be addressed in the agreement.

Selph said he and his staff are on top of the matter.

Selph noted that he wrote a letter to Madison officials expressing his concern about

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Protestant Welfare dinner Friday

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Since 1953, the Protestant Welfare Association has been serving the Granite City, Madison, Mitchell and Pontoon Beach areas; this Friday the community will have a chance to share something back.

The Community Care Center of Protestant Welfare will be holding its annual "Share the Vision" dinner and celebration Friday at the Nelson Hagnauer Township Hall, 21st Street and Delmar Avenue.

Denice Wright, president of the care center's board of directors, said the event, an annual fund raiser for the past six years, is very important to the organization, which provides numerous services to the area needy.

"We've been busier than ever before," she said.

For the first 10 months of 1996, she said the agency provided assistance for 6,058 people in 4,760 separate cases. Last year at this time, the numbers were 4,147 people in 1,559 cases.

One of the reasons for the increase was the strike at McDonnell Douglas, Wright said.

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County shares drug court info

Madison County officials plan to ante up information about the county's new drug court in an effort to share the jackpot.

Madison County Public Defender John Rekowski and drug court project director Terri Sorger-Keller are scheduled to attend a conference in Las Vegas, Nev., beginning Saturday, to present information about the county's Assessment and Treatment Alternative court.

The conference for the National Legal Aid and Defender Association will run Thursday.

"This is just another indicator of how innovative our drug treatment court is," Chief Criminal Judge Edward C. Ferguson said. "We get inquiries every week from courts throughout the country. This group, with thousands of members from the United States and Canada, is interested in two things. First, they want to know how we got the program up and running. Then they want to know the actual nuts and bolts of how it runs."

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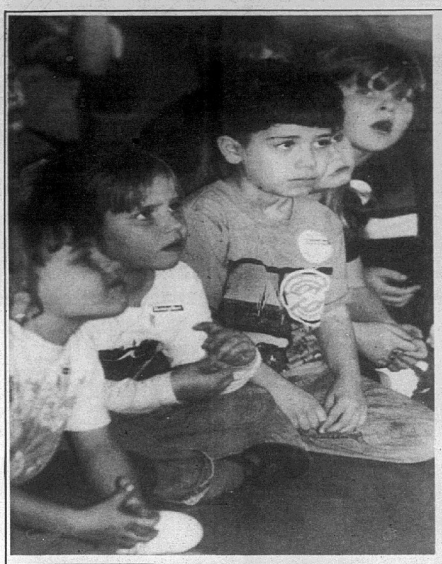
The county's drug court, which kicked into operation in March, is designed to offer treatment to first-time drug offenders.

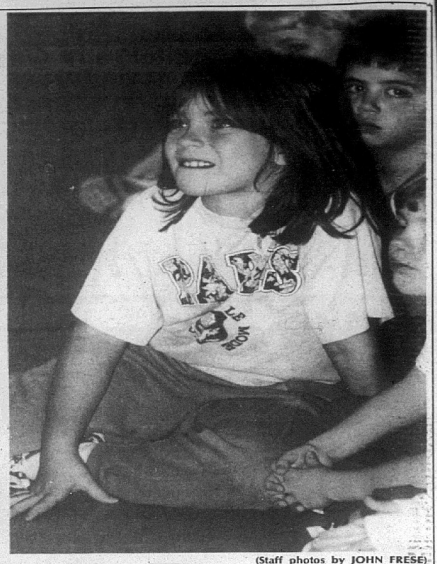
Participants are expected to follow a treatment schedule and attend several court hearings in exchange for a clean criminal record.

The program has offered treatment to dozens of offenders, many of whom have graduated to the program's second phase.

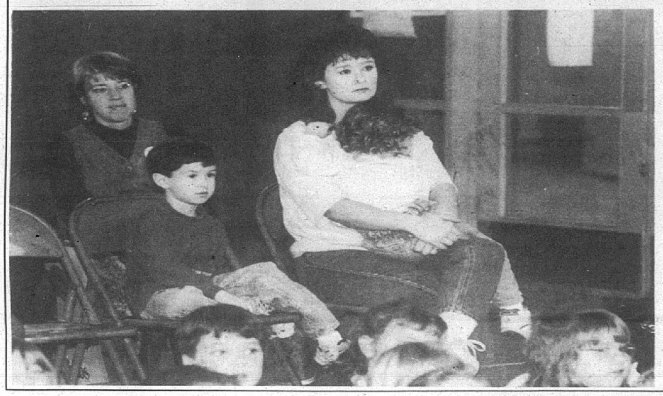
Officials created the program in an effort to alleviate the overburdened court docket, in addition to offering treatment to drug abusers.

— *From The Telegraph*





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Readers — Above, left, Frohardt first-graders Chelsea Withers, Alex Brawley, Damian Mendoza and Matthew Wiles, left to right, listen to Ron Stearns read to the children taking part in the Running Start Program. Running Start is a program sponsored by Chrysler; it encourages reading by first-graders and their families. Participating students are challenged to read 21 books over a 10 week period. Sucessful readers receive a book and awards at a finale featuring special guest readers. Above, Barbara Miranda listens to Stearns read to her classmates. At left, Jake Cavins, 4, listens to the story being read, while his mother Jennifer holds his sister Broke, 2. Behind them is Frohardt first-grade teacher Debbie LeVault.

Madison police busy: arrest drug suspects

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Madison police were kept busy with a number of warrant arrests recently — many on drug-related charges.

In many cases, those arrested on drug charges also had suspected drugs in their possession — which will lead to more charges after the substances are analyzed.

Police arrested Benny G. Dunnavant, 39, of the 700 block of Madison Avenue, Madison, at his home on Nov. 1.

Dunnavant was wanted for failure to appear on charges of unlawful possession of a controlled substance.

According to reports, police attempted to serve the warrant at Dunnavant's apartment at about 2:30 p.m. Dunnavant was not home, but came home as they were there.

When confronted by police, he said he did not understand why he would be charged with possession of a controlled substance, since he only smoked marijuana.

While talking to Dunnavant in his apartment, an officer noticed a hemostat with a partially-smoked marijuana cigarette. The officer confiscated the items.

Police reported that Dunnavant said he would "use his fingers next time."

Three other people were also arrested on drug-related charges in separate incidents Nov. 1.

Vickie D. Francis, 34, of the 500 block of Margaret in Mitchell, was arrested at about 9:50 a.m. at the intersection of Madison Avenue and 12th Street.

She was wanted on two outstanding warrants for unlawful possession of a controlled substance.

During a search police found what they believe is crack cocaine.

Also arrested Friday was Dennis A. Grimm, 34, of the 2100 block of Lee Street, Granite City.

Grimm was arrested after being spotted by an officer on Third Street. He was wanted on three counts of illegal possession of a controlled substance.

During the arrest he allegedly told the officer he had crack cocaine in his possession.

Also on Friday, police arrested Keith A. King, 37, of the 800 block of Jackson Street, Madison, for failure to appear on charges of unlawful possession of a hypodermic syringe.

On Sunday, Jermaine Smith, 22, of the 6000 block of Madison Avenue, St. Louis, was arrested at about 5 a.m. He was wanted on four outstanding warrants — battery, speeding and driving with a suspended license by Venice police, and driving with a suspended license by the Illinois State Police.

Smith was arrested after a Madison police officer observed him driving a 1986 Camaro in the first 1600 block of Market Street.

Also arrested on Sunday was Scott A. Howell, 38, of the 2700 block of Center Street, Granite City. Howell was wanted for failure to appear on charges of unlawful possession of a controlled substance.

Short management courses set

The Small Business Development Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and at Lewis and Clark Community College will offer many short management courses during November. Each workshop at SIUE will meet at University Park in Room 1132.

Workshops dates and fees includes:

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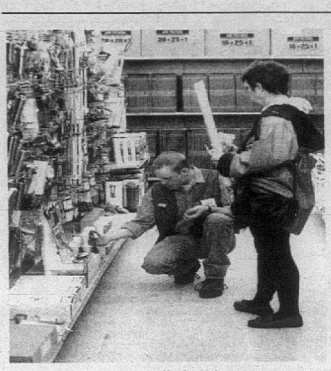


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Ace Hardware employee Brian Brown, kneeling, helps his mother, Mary Beth Brown, find a few items on the store's first day of business Saturday.

Ace opens in Crossroads Plaza

By Martin Richter
Staff writer

A new 16,000-square-foot Ace Hardware Store is celebrating its grand opening this weekend in Granite City.

The store, located at the site of the former Central Hardware store in Crossroads Plaza on Nameoki Road, opened for business last weekend. But the grand opening celebration kicks off with a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 10:30 a.m. Friday and continues through Sunday with dozens of product demonstrations, giveaways, refreshments and special sales.

Joe Cotton of Cotton's Inc., the store's owner, said it includes 16,000 square feet of floor space, plus an additional 8,000 square feet of lawn and garden. The store employs 20 people, and is expected to eventually generate annual revenues of $3 to $5 million, Cotton said.

"It's a full-line super hardware store, carrying everything: paints, plumbing and electrical, hardware, building supplies and a huge lawn and garden department," Cotton said. "And there also will be service and rental departments."

The owner of the building, Walpert Properties of St. Louis, made major renovations in preparation for the opening, he said.

Cotton said market surveys point to a real need for a hardware store in Granite City. He said it also will serve customers from surrounding communities.

"We did a local survey just of the people in Granite City, and out of 500 people we asked, 498 said we needed a hardware store," Cotton said. "The people want a local store with competitive prices that will really cater to customers' needs more than the big box stores."

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Madison aldermen will consider variety of issues

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The transfer of two Belleville Area College senior aides to the Madison city payroll is one of several items referred to committees or tabled at last week's city council meeting.

Comptroller Jeanne Weidner said that she had been notified that the two aides — Pearl Walker and Doris Roberts — would be rotated to other jobs in the near future.

The two work about 20 hours per week doing light janitorial work at the city hall, the police department and fire department.

Both have been working for the city for some time — Walker for 11 years, Roberts for three — Weidner said the the rotations were being made because of changes in the program's policy.

Both workers were praised by city officials, who said they wanted to keep the two in the city.

"They've just been outstanding little ladies, and God knows who they (the senior aides program) are going to send," said Mayor John Bellcoff.

If the two are transferred to city payroll, Weidner said Madison would still receive two other senior aides.

After brief discussion the council referred the matter to a special committee of the whole meeting to be held sometime this week.

Also referred to that meeting was a proposed ordinance setting minimum wages for city employees.

Alderman Norris Horton requested it be referred to committee.

One of the issues involved is pay for firefighters serving night duty at the fire station. The issue had been discussed in executive session at a committee meeting the previous week, but Horton was unable to attend.

The main issue at that meeting will probably be discussion of an entertainment tax for spectators at Gateway International Raceway.

The council has been considering such a tax — probably in the form of a one dollar per person tax — but racetrack officials have requested the council hold off on the tax for at least three years.

Alderman John Hamm said he was waiting to hear from Chris Pook, president of the Grand Prix Association of Long Beach, which owns Gateway, before setting a date for the meeting.

The council also heard and referred to the Legislative Committee a complaint from a resident and owner of apartment buildings in the 1400 block of Madison Avenue.

Although the buildings have been vacant for several years, the resident complained that she had been billed for trash service.

City Attorney Casper Nighohossian said the woman and her daughter had come to his office the previous week, and they went over the bills and correspondence.

He said future trash fees could be abated if the proper forms were filled out, but said the council would have to act on the outstanding bill.

Nighohossian said that trash fees for most of the apartments had been abated in 1994, but three were not. Trash fees for those apartments totaled $263.37.

Mike Foley, who had been building inspector at that time, said when he inspected the apartments in 1994 a worker said those three apartments were occupied.

Youth arrested for trespassing

A 15-year-old youth was arrested for trespassing and illegal possession of a controlled substance at the Garesche Homes housing project Sunday.

According to reports, an officer was patrolling in the housing projects when they observed the youth on property marked no trespassing.

As the officer approached, the youth threw a small object away. After the youth was placed into custody the officer recovered a small plastic tube containing "multiple pieces" of suspected crack cocaine.

The youth was released to his mother pending formal charges, authorities said.

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Shift is on at Millers Mutual

ALTON — Millers First Insurance Companies announced Thursday it will begin shifting its general business agents and their services to its affiliate, D.R. Sparks Insurance Services Inc.

The company also plans to open a D.R. Sparks office in Kansas City.

D.R. Sparks now operates out of Millers' national headquarters in Alton. The new office, slated to open in January, will be its first location outside Alton.

Robert Mawhorter, senior vice president-finance, administration and secretary, said the moves will have little, if any, impact on employee rolls locally.

Mawhorter said Millers has agents in the Kansas City area and they will become associated with D.R. Sparks. The company will not be transfering Illinois agents westward, he said.

D.R. Sparks will operate as a full-service, multistate independent insurance agency. Its agents will offer a broader range of insurers and products for its customers, officials said.

At the same time, Millers Mutual Insurance Association and Millers Classified Insurance Co. will narrow its focus to agribusiness and personal lines of insurance. The two groups will underwrite personal lines insurance through D.R. Sparks in most of its marketing areas.

"This will allow Millers First Insurance Companies to focus on personal lines, direct marketing and agribusiness operations while reducing underwriting exposure to Midwest storm activity, which has been on the increase in recent years," said George S. Milnor, president and chief executive officer.

Officials said the changes should result in reductions of certain personal lines premiums the Millers companies write in Illinois, Missouri, Kansas and other states. Examples of personal lines are insurance on autos, homes and mobile homes.

Officials said the new office is expected to provide better service to customers in eastern Kansas and western Missouri.

Mawhorter said the shifts will "add a great deal of strength" to the three Millers affiliates, which include D.R. Sparks.

Millers also has a fourth affiliate, Agri Producers Management Co. Inc.

Millers Mutual was founded in 1877 to provide fire insurance for flour mills. Today, Millers First Insurance Companies underwrites property and casualty insurance for agribusiness and personal lines customers, while D.R. Sparks provides its customers commercial, personal, life and health insurance products through its agencies.

The group has consolidated assets of more than $145 million and serves more than 80,000 policyholders in 22 Midwestern, Southern and mountain states.

Thursday's announcement is one of several changes the company has made in recent years to cut costs and improve efficiency and service.

Last February, Millers First announced it would soon begin placing horticultural and farmowners property and casualty coverages with D.R. Sparks.

In 1994, the company cut 32 salary-subsidized field agents in Illinois, Missouri and Kansas, but officials said they would be hiring about 30 workers during the next two years due to upgrading.

In 1995, the company announced it would close four branch offices. It closed its commercial insurance under writing business in 1993.

— From The Telegraph

Dance Nov. 30 at Eagles Lodge

The Tri-Cities Area Association for the Handicapped will hold a dance and auction at the Eagles Lodge, 2558 Madison Avenue in Granite City, from 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Nov. 30.

Music will be provided by the Herb Eberle Band. The cost is $5 at the door or call 797-0527 for advance tickets.

Charity turns to readers

By Lois Kendall
Staff writer

Christmas is for kids. Tinselled trees and shimmering lights, red-ribboned packages and red-nosed reindeer. And, of course, Santa Claus, that beloved, generous spirit of Christmas who fulfills the fantasies of children everywhere.

But imagine what Christmas would be like if Santa never came.

For many homeless, abused and needy children, Dec. 25 is just another day on the calendar. There's no decorated tree, no lights, no Santa Claus. No shiny toy truck or curly-haired baby doll awaiting them on Christmas morning; no stockings filled with candy and treats.

Journal readers are invited to play Santa Claus this holiday season — and you don't even need a red, furry suit or a team of reindeer. Catholic Charities is sponsoring a "Secret Santa" Christmas program, matching each "Santa" with a needy child.

Children in Catholic Charities programs will write letters to Santa, signing only their first names, so their privacy is respected. Interpreters may have to perform the actual writing task for some refugee children, many of whom do not speak English.

Readers who want to be a "Secret Santa" are asked to send their name and address to:

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Catholic Charities,
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by Nov. 27. Each "Secret Santa" will be matched with a child, and the child's original letter will be mailed to the "Santa," along with an instruction sheet and gift tags.

The "Santa" will have about two weeks to go shopping to purchase one item mentioned on the child's list, plus one practical gift — mittens, a hat, etc. Gifts need not be wrapped; but if the donor chooses to wrap the gifts, they must be clearly labeled as to what is inside, with gift tags securely attached.

All gifts must be dropped off by Dec. 18 at any Famous Brand Shoes or Shoe Cents Store in the St. Louis area. Groups of volunteers will sort, inventory and wrap gifts on two Saturdays — Dec. 14 and 21 — at Cardinal Ritter Institute. Anyone who wishes to help may call 367-5500. Staff members will ensure that each child receives his/her gift by Christmas Eve.

Co-sponsors of "Secret Santa" are Famous Brand Shoes, Datamax Office Systems and the Suburban Journals.

For more information, call Catholic Charities at 367-5500.

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Outdoor decorating time is rapidly approaching. And no, it's not really too early. It's nice to get it done ahead of time, and besides, who knows what kind of weather we'll be having later on? When the next nice day rolls around and you have the time, go for it!

Before stringing lights up on the house, lay them all out flat and test them, preferably in a dark place like a garage. Blue bulbs, for example don't show up too good in daylight.

It's far safer to unplug the light set before replacing any broken or otherwise unlit bulbs.

If this is the first time you're going to string lights up, draw up a plan of action. Sometimes the lights sort of fall into place, other times they don't. Where are you going to plug them in? Will you have six feet of lights left over at the end of their run? Or will you be short? Plan ahead; it definitely pays.

Make absolutely certain your outdoor lights are rated for outdoor use. All Frank's light sets say so on the box.

When stringing light sets together, it's sometimes easy to get slightly carried away. But be careful. Never fasten more strings together than recommended by the manufacturer. Overloading a circuit can put a serious damper on the holiday festivities. All Frank's light sets tell you on the box how many strings you can safely attach together.

As in decorating the tree, examine each string of lights for worn or frayed cords, broken bulb sockets and the like. If you find something that's not quite up to par, don't try to repair it. Save the bulbs, toss the string of lights and pick up a new set identical to the old.

This also applies to extension cords. You're much better off replacing one than trying to repair it.

Adorning an outdoor tree with lights can create a truly magnificent scene, the bigger the tree the better. Actually, lighting an average size outdoor tree in the middle of the yard can be easier than the one indoors, since you have access to it all around. Just make sure you use a good outdoor extension cord, kept where nobody will trip over it.

Decorating the mailbox and/or post adds a nice charming touch. Wrap the post with garland or whatever else you choose. Just remember one thing, though. Decorations must not interfere in any way with normal access to your mailbox by the mail carrier.

Light posts in your yard look real Christmas-like when wrapped with garland. So do the porch posts. Come to think of it, so does just about any other object.

Frame your exterior door with garland, and perhaps some lights. Looks great during the day and the framework of color at night is inviting to guests. Same's true for windows.

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Police probe paddling

Police are investigating the alleged battery of a two-year-old Granite City boy by his 32-year-old baby-sitter.

According to a police report, the mother of the child told officers that the baby-sitter, a Granite City woman, spanked the boy on his bottom with a paddle Thursday, Nov. 7, after the boy urinated in his pants.

The boy sustained black and blue bruises that were visible the next day, the report states.

The mother said she left the boy with the sitter for about nine hours Thursday, beginning at 3 p.m.

At about midnight, when the mother picked the boy up, the sitter told the mother about the spanking, the report states.

The mother told police she was not concerned until Friday when she saw the bruises.

No charges had been filed by Monday, which was a legal holiday.

Hugs, tears follow shooting

Suspect's attorney returns to bullet-riddled office

VANDALIA — Murder suspect Kelly McGinnis' former attorney and his family returned home Thursday after spending six weeks in hiding.

Entering his law offices through the same door McGinnis had reportedly used 24 hours earlier in a murderous rage, Larry LeFevre and his wife and daughter were greeted with hugs and tears by co-workers.

"We will never look at things the same way," a tearful Barbara LeFevre said.

The family had lived in a friend's apartment in an unidentified small town in Missouri and used Barbara LeFevre's maiden name. She had tutored her daughter Lauran, 10, at home.

Larry LeFevre took questions from reporters Thursday while sitting in the very office that McGinnis had reportedly shot up moments before his capture Wednesday. The office had been hastily repaired, but bullet holes remained in the windows.

Relieved and somewhat dazed, LeFevre said he had no idea what prompted McGinnis to allegedly shoot Greenville City Attorney Thomas Meyer Aug. 12. Meyer represented McGinnis' wife in a recent divorce and custody battle.

> 'I fought that case as hard as I could. I knew he was upset with the result and the system, but I had no inkling he would do this.'
>
> — Larry LeFevre
> McGinnis' attorney

LeFevre said he had some objections to the outcome of McGinnis' divorce case but he did not fault Judge Ann Callis-Rongey's handling of the case. He said he acknowledges that McGinnis is innocent until proven guilty.

"I hope he didn't do it, but why he came in here shooting up my office is beyond me," LeFevre said. "If the legal system is corrupt, then it's not because of anything I did or Thomas Meyer did.

"How someone can harbor that kind of anger for so long, I don't know." LeFevre's family did not take flight until McGinnis was spotted standing on the office porch Sept. 26. Until that time, LeFevre worked behind locked doors.

The Sept. 26 incident ended without violence, and McGinnis disappeared despite a county-wide manhunt. Afterward, LeFevre's family fled and he returned sporadically to Vandalia for work.

LeFevre said he was grateful that he had not been in the office Wednesday, when McGinnis reportedly entered after an office employee mistakenly left a back door unlocked.

He said he was especially pained by the fact that some local residents had voiced support for McGinnis and a lack of remorse for divorce lawyers. McGinnis made repeated statements in letters to newspapers that he believed the legal divorce system is corrupt and favors women.

"The graffiti and the 'Go, Kelly, Go' signs ... I can't imagine what Thomas Meyer's widow and family and friends thought about that," he said.

LeFevre said McGinnis had been very upset over the fact that custody of the McGinnis children was awarded to McGinnis' wife, but he said he never heard McGinnis make accusations about his performance.

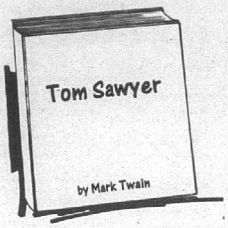
"I fought that case as hard as I could," he said. "I knew he was upset with the result and the system, but I had no inkling he would do this."

LeFevre said he would follow McGinnis' trial. In the meantime, he said, it will probably take time for life to return to normal.

"For awhile, it seemed like every other car on the highway was a green minivan. The employees here, too, will probably be looking over their shoulders for a long time.

"Blaming the lawyer isn't even the place to start. We are technicians. Maybe the Legislature is at fault. I certainly think the judge ruled based on the facts and the evidence and her good conscience."

— From The Telegraph



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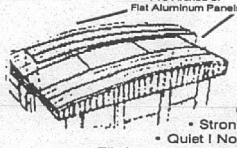
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the annexation and said he has tried repeatedly to contact Bowles about the matter.

He also said he has been in contact with Madison officials.

He said that negotiations with Madison are continuing, but declined to give details due to their "delicate" nature.

"I just don't want to let our citizens think we've been asleep on this issue.

"It is being addressed," Selph said.

Senior menus

Wednesday, Nov. 13
Pork chop, whipped potatoes with gravy, brussel sprouts, wheat bread, sliced pears..

Thursday, Nov. 14
Swiss steak, parsley potatoes, sliced carrots, wheat bread, butterscotch pudding.

Friday, Nov. 15
Barbecue boneless rib, scalloped potatoes, peas and pearl onions, wheat bread, chocolate ice cream..

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Obituaries

Opal Cress

Opal C. (Duncan) Cress, 87, of Ballwin, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1996, at Clayton House Health Care Center in Clayton, Mo. She was born March 1, 1909, in Vichy, Mo., and had resided in Granite City most of her life.



Mrs. Cress was a homemaker and member of Bethel Evangelical Free Church, 2450 Stratford Lane, Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy F. Cress, who died in Dec. 1991; her parents, Charles E. and Oma Augusta (Hawkins) Duncan; and a sister, Mildred Beal.

Survivors include two sons, William Cress of Brentwood, Tenn., and Robert Cress of Sullivan, Mo.; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, Nov. 9, at Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Bob Widbin officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Hospice.

Mike Scarbrough

Mike Scarbrough, 38, of Granite City, died at 10:49 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 10, 1996, at Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis County where he had been a patient for three weeks. He was born Oct. 30, 1958, in Illinois and was a lifetime resident of Granite City.

Mr. Scarbrough was employed as a chef for Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. He had worked there for 15 years. He was a member of Granite City Odd Fellows - Six Mile Lodge, Granite City Masonic Lodge 835, Scottish Rite, Shriners and Rebbecca Lodge 477.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Rosetta Scarbrough.

Survivors include his father, Mike Petros; a daughter, Crystal Richmond of Granite City; a son, Michael Scott Richmond of Granite City; a brother, Ben Scarbrough; and a sister, Roseanna Edwards of St. Jacob.

Arrangements are pending at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus, Granite City.

Memorials are suggested to either Odd Fellow or Masonic Lodge 835.

Ralph Larkin Jr.

"Scup" "Noonie" Ralph R. Larkin Jr., 75, of Granite City died at 1:57 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, 1996, in Granite City. He was born Feb. 10, 1921, in Prairie DuRocher.

Mr. Larkin was a security guard for Wells Fargo Security of St. Louis for 20 years. He was a member of Prairie DuRocher. American Legion Post 622, Ste. Genevieve, Mo. Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2210, Retired Officers Association of Washington D.C., and National Association for Uniformed Services, Springfield, Va.

He was a U.S. Army veteran who served for 20 years in three wars. In World War II, he was a paratchutist with the 82nd Airborne Division and was with the 504th Parachutist Infantry Regiment at Anzio, the jump into Holland in 1944, and the Central Europe and Rhineland campaigns, ending with the occupation of Berlin. When the war ended Larkin came to Berlin and was placed in charge of refugees fleeing the Soviets by rail. Larkin left Berlin during 1945 and was discharged as a staff sergeant. He re-entered the service in 1949 at Camp Chaffee, Ark., was assigned to the 87th Infantry at Fort Riley, Kan. In June 1951 Larkin applied for and received his warranty. He served with the Tenth Field Artillery Battalion of the Third Infantry Division during three major campaigns in Korea in 1952-53. After completing two tours of duty in Germany in 1956 and 1962, Chief Warrant Officer Larkin joined the Army's "Big Red One" Division at Fort Riley, Kan, and then served in Vietnam.



He was preceded in death by his wife, Syble G. (Parker) Larkin, whom he married in January 1972 and who died July 5, 1996; his parents, Ralph R. Sr. and Marjorie (Ward) Larkin; a brother, Robert Larkin; and a sister, Rosemary Larkin.

Survivors include a daughter, Sandy L. Hutchings of Granite City; one grandson and one great-granddaughter.

Services are scheduled for 9 a.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 13, at Holy Family Church with the Rev. Bill Fischerkeller officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to either Cancer Association or American Heart Association.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City.

Frances Homyer

Frances B. (Bohannon/Lehmann) Homyer of Granite City died Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City following a one-week illness. She was born May 5, 1907, in Spencer, Iowa.

Mrs. Homyer, an 86-year resident of Granite City, was owner of Granite City Ice Cream in Mitchell for 20 years. She was of the protestant faith.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Albert Lehmann who died in 1962; her second husband, Roy Homyer who died in 1986; her parents, Gerald and Orel (Larabee) Bohannon; and a sister, Angeline Webb.

Survivors include her son, William Lehmann of Granite City; a brother, Richard Bohannon of Great Pass, Ore.; one grandchild and two great-grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 12, at Werner Chapel for Funerals in Pontoon Beach with the Rev. Gus Falter officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to American Lung Association.

Donald Potillo

Donald R. Potillo, 60, of Granite City died Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, in Granite City. He was born Feb. 9, 1936, in Granite City and was a lifelong resident.

Mr. Potillo, a veteran, was employed as a pipe fitter by Union Electric Co., St. Louis. He had worked there for 16 years.

He was preceded in death by his father, Raymond John Potillo.

Survivors include his wife, Helen (Skipper) Potillo; his mother, Gladys (Couch) Potillo; two daughters, Cindy K. (Everts) Bicknell of Florissant, Mo., and Debbie (Everte) Voss of Ballwin, Mo.; a sister, Shirley Lane of Granite City; and two grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, Nov. 11, at Irwin Chapel with the Rev. Bruce Rushing officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery on Maryville Road.

Memorials are suggested to Alzheimer's Association in St. Louis.

Gary Taylor

Gary W. Taylor, 52, of Granite City died at 12:23 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, 1996, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He was born June 9, 1944, in Detroit, Mich.



Mr. Taylor was employed as a pharmaceutical technician at Jefferson Barracks Veteran's Hospital for 15 years. He was a U.S. Army and Navy Vietnam veteran and a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

He was preceded in death by his stepfather, Rolland Horton, who died July 20, 1995; and a brother, Dennis Horton who died Sept. 26, 1961.

Survivors include his mother, Betty (Addison) Horton; five brothers, Roger Horton of St. Louis, Warren Taylor of Granite City, Thomas Horton of Topeka, Kan., and Douglas and Scott Horton both of Granite City; and a sister, Joyce Davis of Granite City.

Services are scheduled for 11:30 a.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 13, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis County.

F. Trittschuh

Frederick "Fritz" Trittschuh, 79, of Granite City died at 5:11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City where he had been a patient for 6 weeks. He was born May 26, 1917, in Granite City and was a lifelong resident.

Mr. Trittschuh was employed by Granite City Steel as a first helper in BOF before retiring in May 1976. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church and a former member of United Steelworkers.



He was preceded in death by his parents, Julian and Edna (Fecke) Trittschuh; two sons, Fred and Edward Trittschuh; two brothers, Bob and Edward Trittschuh; and one sister, Marie Boban.

Survivors include his wife, Mary McGowan, whom he married March 19, 1938, in Granite City; a son, Jack Trittschuh of Granite City; four sisters, Josephine Sortor, Catherine Cornelison, June Patterson, and Louise Favier, all of Granite City; and four grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday, Nov. 12, at Holy Family Catholic Church with the Rev. Tom Wise officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon.

Jessie Sayers

Jessie (Bell) Sayers, 101, of Pontoon Beach died at 8:18 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, 1996, at University Manor Nursing Home in Edwardsville. She was born July 31, 1895, in Francesville, Ind.

Mrs. Sayers, a homemaker, was a resident of this area for 70 years and had been ill for a short time. She was a charter member of Nameoki United Methodist Church, Chouteau Township Senior Citizen Center, and a 50-year member of Royal Neighbors.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Oral Raymond Sayers who died March 28, 1950; her parents, Stephen Baker and Nevada Clara (McKeen) Bell; a daughter, Carol Long; 11 brothers and sisters, one grandson, one great-grandson, and one great-great-granddaughter.

Survivors include three daughters, Dorothy Ashford of Pontoon Beach, Mildred M. Eggley of McLeansboro, and Orabelle Tuttle of Kalamazoo, Mich.; 12 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. today,Wednesday, Nov. 13, at Nameoki United Methodist Church, 1900 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Jamie Hahs officiating. Burial will be in St. John's Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to Nameoki United Methodist Church.

Raymond Elmore

Raymond E. Elmore, 66, of East Alton died at 7:50 a.m. Monday, Nov. 11, 1996, at Carlinville Area Hospital in Carlinville. He was born Aug. 11, 1930, in Chouteau Township.

Mr. Elmore was a salesman for Kramer Electric Co. in Wood River for 15 years and with Saale Brothers Appliance in West Alton for 27 years, retiring in 1990. He served in the Army Reserve for 18 years and was a member of Wood River Knights of Columbus 2944.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lyman and Mayme (Guennewig) Elmore; and one sister, Virginia Chamness.

Survivors include his wife, Jean E. Carey, whom he married June 17, 1950, in Mitchell; three sons, Raymond Elmore Jr. of East Alton, Andrew Elmore of Manchester, Mo., and Edward Elmore of Terre Haute, Ind.; a brother, Donald Elmore of Granite City; a sister, Marie Boyle of Decatur; and two grandchildren.

Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 13, at St. Kevins Catholic Church, Rosewood Heights. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery in Edwardsville.

Memorials are suggested to St. Kevins Catholic School or Alzheimers Association.

Alice Mooshegian

Alice (Greer) Mooshegian, 70, of Granite City died at 10:45 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 10, 1996, at her residence. She was born Aug. 6, 1926, in Blytheville, Ark.

A homemaker, she was married to Mike H. Mooshegian on Oct. 24, 1942, in Poplar Bluff, Mo. He preceded her in death on May 7, 1989. She was also preceded in death by her parents, John and Hulda (Waller) Greer.

Survivors include her daughter, Alice Naeve of Granite City; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services are scheduled for 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 13, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville, with the Rev. Delmar Shirley officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials suggested to the American Cancer Society.

Fred Torigian

Fred S. Torigian, 86, of Belleville died Friday, Nov. 8, 1996, at Rosewood Care Center. He was born Nov. 25, 1909, in Turkish Armenia.

Mr. Torigian retired from Centreville TomBoy Grocery Store and was a former member of Meat Cutter's Union #534. He was a member of St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church in Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Solomon and Nazalee (Ekmalian) Torigian; one brother, William T. Torigian; and one sister, Rose Houghaslan.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Marguerite N. (Mooradian) Torigian; a son, Vincent F. Torigian of Belleville; a daughter, Jeanette Dostourian of Stanton, Calif.; and 4 grandchildren.

Services scheduled for 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, Nov. 13, at John Barnes Funeral Home, 8501 W Main, Belleville with the Rev. Vartan Kassabian officiating. Burial at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Belleville.

Memorials suggested to St. Gregory Church or Belleville Township High School West Scholarship Fund.

Isabelle Ferguson

Isabelle M. (Voorhees) Ferguson, 74, of Pontoon Beach, died at 6:40 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1996, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. She had been ill for 2 1/2 weeks.

Born June 2, 1922, in Kimmswick, Mo., she had been a resident of Pontoon Beach for 17 years.

Mrs. Ferguson was employed as a clerk for Central Hardware for many years and was a member of Central Christian Church and Rebecca Lodge #477.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Lena (Eich) Vorhees.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Austra of Wood River and Charlotte Allred of Cottage Hills; a son, Raymond Bauer of St. Louis; 15 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach with the Rev. Carrie Cullen officiating. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to Central Christian Church, Granite City.

Gardener program open

Applications for the Master Gardener Program are now available from the Madison-St. Clair Extension Unit Office by calling 236-8600 or by stopping by the office in Belleville at 1 S. Third Street. They are also available at 900 Hillsboro in Edwardsville or by calling 692-7700. Applications are due by Dec. 9.

Master Gardener participants will receive 60 hours of horticulture training in the areas of botany, soils, entomology, pathology, vegetables, fruits, ornamental plants, turf, houseplants and landscaping.

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The training sessions will be held during the day on Tuesdays beginning Jan. 21 through mid-April. There is a $65 fee that covers a portion of the cost of the training program including an inclusive manual.

For additional information on the program, call 692-7700 or 236-8600.

Rights authority to meet Thursday

The Metro East Regional Human Rights Authority of the Illinois Guardianship and Advocacy Commission will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Granite City City Hall.

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Madison will buy parking lot

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

At a meeting last week, the Madison City Council took care of a number of items, including the purchase of a parking lot for city hall and the appointment of a new treasurer.

In a letter to the city, Magna Bank offered to sell a parking lot and two small storage buildings across from the new city hall on Madison Avenue for $15,000. The council had agreed to the purchase at a committee of the whole meeting the week before.

Mayor John Bellcoff appointed Al Paskus to fill the unexpired term of Frank Dutko. The term expires April 30.

Dutko resigned because he is moving to Phoenix.

After accepting the resignation, the council voted to abolish the elected position, effective April 30, transferring the treasurer's duties to the comptroller.

The council also referred to City Attorney Casper Nighohossian a notice that Cherokee Properties Inc. is seeking a reduction in its assessed value.

Cherokee Properties owns the land occupied by Spectrulite Consortium Inc.

In September the Madison County Board of Revue received a protest from Cherokee Properties, seeking reassessment of four parcels of land.

The company is seeking to reduce the property's assessed value from $1.345 million to $593,000.

Nighohossian said two other taxing bodies, Venice and Venice Township, are planning to fight the reduction. He also said the Granite City School District and Madison School District would be asked to join the efforts.

The council also approved an ordinance decreasing the fee for hauling away old mattresses from $10 to $5.

The council also approved hiring two people to work in the city's curbside recycling program.

The city is in the process of purchasing a truck for the program.

In other business, the council approved pulling three workers from other areas to concentrate on leaf removal for the next few weeks.

•Dinner

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agency include the Care Cupboard, a food pantry, and the Calico Loft, where donated clothing is given to clients at no cost.

Special events include the just-concluded Back-to-School program and the Christmas Warmth program, scheduled to begin in the near future.

Also coming up is the Come Share Host Site, where participants receive $35 worth of food for $14.50 and two hours of community service.

Sign-up for the program is Dec. 3-5, and participants who complete their community service can pick up their food on Dec. 21.

Tickets for the dinner will be available through Thursday at Protestant Welfare Association, 1818 Cleveland, Granite City.

Entertainment will be provided by Harpist Cherilyn Trusty of Edwardsville. Also performing will be Al's Pals, who will provide music during dinner.

Most of the proceeds from the dinner go toward retiring the debt for and making improvements to the building.

The doors will open at 5:30 p.m., and a buffet dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

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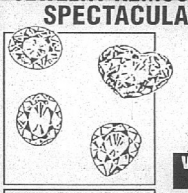
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Trade association honors broker Merrill Ottwein

Merrill Ottwein, broker and co/owner of Home Buyers Relocation Services in Edwardsville and O'Fallon, recently received the "President's Award" for his work as the organization's first treasurer and for service as chairman of the committee developing a national referral network.

The award was made at the "midyear" meeting of real estate agents and agencies practicing "exclusive buyer representation," held in Washington, D.C.

The members of this new professional trade association are set apart because their real estate companies do not take seller-property listings, as a matter of policy, to enable better service to buyers.

Ottwein was reelected treasurer of the national organization at its annual meeting in Dallas in February.

The organization is less than two years old and represents a rapidly growing practice niche in the realty world.

Ottwein explained, "Exclusive buyer representation enables these specialized practitioners to be proactive on the buyer's side of all transactions, with absolute objectivity, without "dual agency," and without any possibility of conflicts of interest with sellers."

Ottwein and his son, Paul, have been among the pioneers in the movement. Formerly practicing traditional real estate brokerage, they formed the first exclusive buyer agency in Southwestern Illinois in 1991.

Abraham Tieh, the new president from Houston, in a press release given at the meeting, said, "This new alliance signals the maturity of a consumer oriented national movement and its recognition as a district professional entity."

He calls the association the most significant shift in real estate practice since 1908, when Realtors first formed their own national trade association, now the National Association of Realtors.

He believes the movement is the first step to the ideal of having separate agencies represent buyers and sellers, specializing in the side they represent.

The association already has developed standards of practice, educational and certification programs, a code of ethics and a national referral network for members.

Central to the referral network is the web site, already up and operating.

Members will be encouraged to have their own web pages, linked to the NAEBA site.

The association's motto is, "Above All, the Consumer."

KFC to honor outstanding senior citizens

Kentucky Fried Chicken announces the second annual Colonel's Way Award, a national program celebrating the outstanding achievements of seniors.

Named for famed entrepreneur and KFC founder, Colonel Harland Sanders, the Colonel's Way Award, which launches on the Colonel's birthday, recognizes persons 60 years of age or older who have made outstanding contributions to their communities in one of six categories: arts, business, community service, education, family and sports.

The top prize is $10,000.

At 62, Colonel Sanders founded Kentucky Fried Chicken when he sold his franchise for his Original Recipe chicken.

When he was 66, the Colonel retired from running his own restaurant and used his $105 Social Security check to travel the country selling Kentucky Fried Chicken franchises.

In the heritage of Colonel Sanders, KFC is looking to find and recognize seniors who accomplish significant achievements later in life.

"Senior citizens are more active than ever and they have a lot to teach people of all generations," said Keith Chambers, KFC franchisee and chairman of KFC National Cooperative Advertising Program Inc. "The Colonel became an American icon and a role model in his later years and in that spirit, the Colonel's Way Award celebrates the wonderful things older Americans are accomplishing and the tremendous impact they have on our society."

The award program is open to the public and anyone can nominate a senior 60 years of age or older by submitting a 250 word or less essay describing how the senior has made a significant contribution later in life.

The program encourages young and old alike to think about how seniors have historically contributed to America.

Semifinalists are chosen from each state and the District of Columbia.

Two finalists from each category will be judged for top honors.

A judging panel comprised of experts on senior-related issues and KFC representatives will choose six category winners who will be honored at an awards ceremony in Corbin, Ky., KFC's birthplace next July.

In Corbin, the grand prize winner will be announced and awarded $10,000. The nominator of the grand-prize winner also receives $1,000. In addition, each of the other five category winners receives $2,500 and their nominators receive $500.

Last year's grand prize winner was Mary Bowermaster, 78, of Fairfield, Ohio.

Bowermaster was named the top senior achiever for her inspiring athletic accomplishments and motivating work with mastectomy support groups. After battling breast cancer at the age of 61, she set age group records in track and field and won more than 350 gold medals in national and international competition.

Essay entries must be postmarked by Jan. 17, 1997. For entry information and award program rules, send a number10 self-addressed stamped envelope to Colonel's Way Award, 200 E. Randolph Drive, 63rd Floor, Chicago, Ill. 60601.

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UPS driver helps foil sweepstakes scam

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

A United Parcel Service driver kept an elderly Collinsville woman from becoming the victim of one more alleged sweepstakes scam.

According to a police report, an 80-year-old city woman had called UPS to arrange the pick up of a $400 check Thursday afternoon — a check being sent to claim an alleged sweepstakes prize.

Collinsville Police Detective Robert Vecchetti said that the woman had already been bilked of more than $610 in similar scams since June.

Those incidents involved money she had sent to at least two other states.

"The literature we've seen advertises a grand prize of up to $50,000," Vecchetti said of the most recent incident, which involved a California business.

Vecchetti said that the driver, Laura Brooks, apparently discussed the transaction with the victim before encouraging the woman to call police.

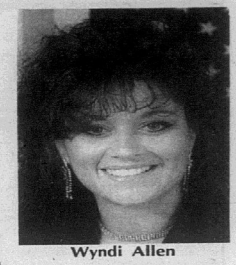
"The driver caught onto it — and was nice enough to bring (the victim) up here because it sounded hokey," Vecchetti said.

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> Police detective

Vecchetti said that one of the best policies to follow is to be suspicious of any contest seeking Social Security, birthdate, credit card or drivers license information or that seeks cash in order to redeem a prize.

"Don't supply a variety of information and don't ever send them money," Vecchetti said.

He said that anyone suspicious of a sweepstakes or even a company should contact the Better Business Bureau before any transactions are made.



Wyndi Allen

Benefit planned for singer

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

Wyndi Allen was working as a hairdresser by day and had the makings of a promising singing career after performing at clubs at night.

But all of that has been put on hold while Allen, 29, fights for her life.

The former Collinsville and Mascoutah resident is hospitalized in Little Rock, Ark., undergoing treatment for non-Hodgkins lymphoma, a form of cancer. The hospital is three hours from her home in Harrison, Ark.

"She was at the height of her world when this happened," said Janet (Allen) Wilder of Collinsville, Allen's half-sister. "You just never think this will happen to you."

Allen has been unable to work and is trying to avoid seeking welfare for herself and her two children, ages 9 and 6.

To help Allen, Wilder, other relatives and friends of Allen have planned a benefit dinner and dance. It will be held from 7:30 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Nov. 23, at the CK and L of I, 2800 N. Illinois, Swansea.

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Senior news

110 years: Who can say why?

Miss Mary Ambrose O'Hern was celebrating yet another birthday and contemplating the joys and frustrations of her 110 years on this earth.

"I didn't think I'd live to be that age. I didn't want to live to be that age," she mused on her birthday, her frail form covered by a colorful blanket.

Want to or not, she has outlasted the presidency of Grover Cleveland, the era of horse and buggy, the invention and demise of the telegraph, the incorporation of several new U.S. states, the deaths of her four brothers and sisters, the popularity of radio shows and vinyl records and 13 years in a Williamstown nursing home where death is a fact of life.

She is among the oldest of Americans. The oldest known person with an authenticated birth date is Jeanne Calmet, 121, who lives in France. At 114 years old, Mary Electa Bidwell, of Hamden, Conn., is considered to be the oldest living American, according to the Guinness Book of Records.

There are her joys present: her neat flowered dress with gold earrings and birthday corsage from the staff of her nursing home, her rosary beads, reciting poetry committed forever to memory and greeting one of her former elementary pupils who has come to call for her birthday. He's 81 but still minds his manners around her.

"She was very stern," Julius "Pete" Le Page says slowly, emphasizing each word. "But we all respect her. She still is very much the boss."

"She's still a teacher, and you can tell when you talk to her that you're a student," said George Mercier, a staffer at Sweet Brook nursing home. "She will tell you about your grammar."

— Associated Press

Senior menus

Nutrition site

Collinsville Senior Center, 420 E. Main Street
Jarvis Twp. Senior Center, Tri-Township Park, Troy
Granite City Senior Center, 2060 Delmar Avenue
Edwardsville Senior Center

Monday, Nov. 18

Barbecue chicken, au gratin potatoes, spinach, wheat bread, oatmeal cookies.

Tuesday, Nov. 19

Polish sausage, whipped potatoes with gravy, sauerkraut, rye bread, sliced peaches.

Wednesday, Nov. 20

Beef and noodles, tossed salad, broccoli, wheat bread, vanilla pudding.

Thursday, Nov. 21

Chicken an dumplings, sliced beets, cole slaw, wheat bread, apple turnover.

Friday, Nov. 22

Baked turkey and gravy, cornbread dressing, sweet potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, dinner rolls, pumpkin pie with whipped topping.

Belleville East and Belleville West Dining Center
Caseyville Township Senior/Nutrition Center
O'Fallon Senior Nutrition Center
Millstadt Dining Center
New Athens Dining Site
Smithton Senior Dining Center

Monday, Nov. 18

Meatball stroganoff (283), Portland potatoes (62), southern succotash (97), wheat bread (61), chocolate pudding (150).

Tuesday, Nov. 19

*Ham slice with tomato gravy (201), au gratin potatoes (114), Lyonnaise green beans (60), white bread (64), cake with icing (149).

Wednesday, Nov. 20

Chicken alfredo (325), buttered noodles (121), steamed cauliflower (22), peas and cheese salad (111), wheat bread (61), chocolate chip cookies (99).

Thursday, Nov. 21

Elrancho stew (248), buttered broccoli (38), glazed carrots (39), biscuit (93), diced pears (72).

Friday, Nov. 22

Ham and beans (225), creamed spinach (60), hot cinnamon apples (97), cole slaw (32), corn bread (81), brownies (139).

Seniors 60 and over are always welcome. Meals are served at noon. The suggested donation is $2 except in Caseyville where it's $2.25. All meals include 2 percent milk, bread and margarine. Numbers behind each item are calorie count. Items with an asterisk are high in sodium.

Basic rules can help

Keeping investments ahead of inflation rate

Inflation is a force which constantly erodes our savings. For example, a saver who put a dollar into T-Bills in 1926 and faithfully reinvested the proceeds for 68 years actually saw their dollar shrink to 70 cents after taxes and inflation.

That's why it's so important to have an investment plan that's designed to keep your investments ahead of inflation. There are some basic rules you can follow which can help keep you and your investments ahead of inflation.

Have and use an investment plan. Even a rough plan can help you maintain control of your financial future; remember to review your plan whenever your circumstances change or at least once a year on a day that's easy to remember, like your birthday.

Start early and invest regularly. Trying to determine the best time to invest is nearly impossible — even for professionals. By establishing a program of regular investing, you never have the need or the urge to guess the best time to invest.



Diversify your portfolio. Invest in different asset classes — stocks, mutual funds, bonds and cash. This can help protect against periods of poor performance in any one type of investment.

Keep a comfortable amount of cash in your portfolio. Use dollars from a money market fund, not your long-term investment assets, to meet current or emergency needs.

Invest for the long term to avoid emotional decisions which may not be in the best interest of your overall plan. If you have long-term investments, resist the urge to sell when the markets decline in the short term.

Manage the impact of taxes. Tax-advantaged investments can offer investors the potential to outperform taxable investment alternatives by deferring or eliminating taxes. Capital gains and income which are not subject to current taxation may be reinvested to earn additional income or gains on dollars which otherwise would have gone to the government.

Know what you're buying. Make sure you understand the potential risks and rewards. Don't be afraid to ask your investment broker questions or for more information.

Be realistic in your expectations. Investors who use 1995's stellar returns as a yardstick may be disappointed with more "normal returns."

Richard J. Ratterman is assistant vice president for the B.C. Ziegler and Company in St. Louis. He is a resident of Glen Carbon.

Senior citizen news welcome

The *Journal* will be running a senior page on Wednesdays, and we're looking for help from the community to inform seniors of news and events that affect them.

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Wonder drugs: Do they fill promise?

Just months after Douglas Wagner went on national television and before Congress to praise an unproven drug for obliterating his brain tumor, he got a shock: The cancer was back.

Wagner's trauma illustrates the contention swirling over "antineoplastons."

Are they the wonder drugs that desperate patients insist? Or are patients the victims of a fraud charged in a federal indictment of the drugs' creator, Dr. Stanislaw Burzynski?

A 75-count indictment charges that Burzynski made $40 million selling unproven antineoplastons to 2,500 patients, violating Food and Drug Administration regulations and judges' orders to stop.

"Whenever you have a revolutionary who's going to change the science, that's what you're going to get," the Houston doctor said in an interview.

He has a following of dozens of patients who are frustrated by mainstream medicine's failure to win the war against cancer and have begged the government — and protested outside courthouses — to let them use antineoplastons. They say it's their right to choose.

Today, some 350 people take the drugs — including 14-year-old Paul Michaels of Troy, Mich., who told a congressional hearing they shrank his brain tumor to pea-size.

Even Wagner stands by Burzynski. He quit taking antineoplastons only when his brain tumor tripled in size. "We believe that treatment did work with Doug for a year," said his wife, Lola Wagner, of Estacada, Ore.

Federal law requires that drugs be subjected to rigorous clinical trials, to prove that they work and to ensure it's not just a coincidence that patients got better.

Burzynski pleaded innocent to the government's charges and faces trial in October. He said he charged patients not for the drug, but for his medical services.

To stay in practice, he agreed to do FDA-approved research to prove his drugs. Any other patients can use them only with special FDA permission after exhausting other treatments.

Burzynski said antineoplastons work like biochemical switches that "turn off" cancer genes by interrupting the signals for cells to multiply. He claims they also fight AIDS and multiple sclerosis.

He discovered them in human urine, then collected thousands of gallons from prisons and public parks before making it synthetically.

One main ingredient in urine is a fatty acid in everyone's body, called phenylacetate or PA. The liver metabolizes PA into a waste product called PAG, another major ingredient. Burzynski also uses derivatives of PA and PAG to make his drugs.

Biochemist Saul Green has criticized the idea in the Journal of the American Medical Association. If PA and PAG are anticancer agents, "and all the body's PA is collected in the liver and all PAG is excreted in urine, how come we get liver cancer and bladder cancer?" he asks.

The work has also drawn criticism from University of Toronto doctors, who wrote in 1982 that Burzynski "knows very little about cancer ... or else he thinks that we are very stupid and he has tried to hoodwink us." The doctors said Burzynski's best patients frequently relapsed or benefited from other, approved treatments.

The National Cancer Institute found evidence in seven patients of antitumor activity. But the NCI abandoned its own studies on the drug last year, saying Burzynski wouldn't cooperate. He said the NCI wouldn't give patients proper doses.

Today, 16 hospitals are conducting NCI-funded studies of whether one ingredient — phenylacetate — may indeed fight cancer.

"All I can say at this point is we are encouraged by the preliminary data," said the University of Virginia's Dr. Donald Sewell.

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Art Voellinger

IHSA soccer nets big lead in ejections

When Collinsville High School edged Springfield, 2-1, in the recent boys super-sectional soccer tournament at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, you can bet there was one coach pulling for the Kahoks.

Yep, it was me. And, as a losing coach in the sectional championship game in a 2-1 O'Fallon defeat to Collinsville, I had more than one reason for my choice of support in the game that vaulted the Kahoks to the state tournament.

Sure, being a good loser is important, but I have yet to develop a fondness for Springfield, which has failed in four consecutive super-sectional appearances at SIUE.

I just cannot get used to the Springfield High style of soccer, "which never seems to change and apparently is reason enough for schools from the Southwestern Illinois area to avoid playing the Senators during the regular season.

In the course of my 21 years of soccer coaching at O'Fallon, I'm sure some observers may have taken exception to my tactics as well as an occasional foul by a player here or there.

However, the Collinsville-Springfield game again supported my belief that the Senators cannot field a team without discipline being questioned. This season's bad boy was Dan Bartolomucci, the Senators' leading scorer with 13 goals and 11 assists after the team had compiled a 16-3-3 heading into the game at SIUE.

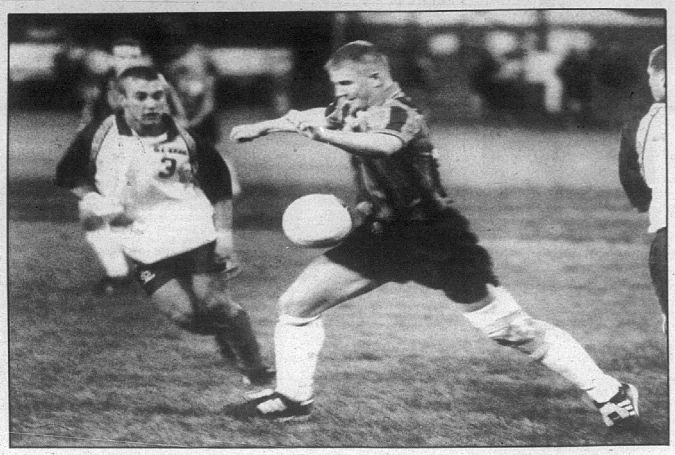
Regardless of Collinsville's five consecutive successful penalty kicks in a decisive shootout, and regardless of the pressure the Senators applied in two 10-minute overtime periods, no one will ever know what a factor Bartolomucci might have been.

He exited in the first overtime for receiving a second yellow card, and according to fans seated close enough to hear him bark at a referee, the junior forward is lucky he did not end his season with a red card.

Sent to the sidelines once in the first half with his first yellow, Bartolomucci got by with a punch to the midsection of Collinsville's Ryan Bettorf with 17 minutes 44 seconds to play in regulation but got caught bumping the Kahoks' Bryan Adams in the overtime.

In a game that featured headball goals by Springfield's Dan Walden at 44:31 and by Collinsville's Jeff Rhymer at 86:38, Bartolomucci supported

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Granite City's Kyle Briggs tries to get past St Louis University High player Taylor Twellman. Briggs was picked the No. 1 player in southern Illinois.

Rebuilding year?

Warriors make underestimation costly for sectional opponents

By Brian L. Jones
Correspondent

The Warriors' well-documented success includes 10 state titles and 15 sectionals won by Gene Baker in 24 years of coaching boys soccer at Granite City High School.

The squad won neither this fall.

Yet the '96 season was as much a reflection the program's greatness as any other. The 11-8-4 record and 15th regional title won on Oct. 29 are only surface accomplishments. Consider how far the Warriors stretched to get there.

"We had gone from a team that nobody thought could be a factor to a team that was very much a factor by the end of the season," Baker said. "I'm just super pleased with the kids. They had a great year in terms of progress."

The Warriors were supposed to be rebuilding, but such a concept no longer exists at The Gauntlet. Yes, the Warriors took their lumps early with a 3-5-2 start through 10 games. And no, they were not a serious contender at the Tournament of Champions.

But playoff coaches goofed by doubting the Warriors with the No. 5 seed at the Granite City Sectional Tournament. They responded with wins over Belleville East (5-1) and Highland (3-0) to claim the regional advance to the area's Final Four — the sectional semifinals at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

There, the season ended in a 4-3 overtime loss to a superior Collinsville team (18-6-2) that later placed second at the state tournament. Fittingly, GCHS senior tri-captains Kyle Briggs (sweeper back), Scott Mills (forward) and Eric Edwards (left wingback) each scored goals against the Kahoks in their final career games.

"Those three guys were the catalysts," Baker said. "Kyle

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The Wright stuff

Spikers salvage respectable season

By Brian L. Jones
Correspondent

The Granite City volleyball players didn't have a winning record, but they kept the '96 season interesting.

The Lady Warriors went 15-19-1 under rookie coach Amy Cole. They placed within the top half of the Southwestern Conference and won their second consecutive Class AA regional title. They never embarrassed themselves in lost matches, many of them extending to third games.

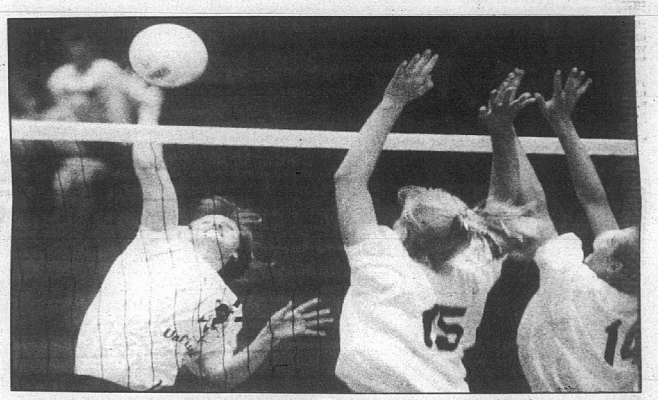
Sounds like an experienced group, but the Lady Warriors were closer to the opposite. Junior middle blocker Jenna Wright was the lone returning absolute starter from '95. Cole was hired from outside the school district, so she spent much of the preseason just getting to know the potential of her players.

"Without really knowing how they would play, we had only the particular goal of always improving," Cole said. "And we always wanted to play up to the competition. Some teams like Belleville West could just outplay us with their experience. We at least wanted to make them earn their points, and that's usually how we played."

The 5-foot-11 Wright was among of three juniors Cole used in her starting lineup. The others were 5-9 middle hitter Kerry Lasiter and 5-6 outside hitter Laurie Bohnenstiehl. By next year, Cole wants opponents to worry about elevating to their level.

"We'll be a step ahead of where we started off this year," Cole said. "I'm going to get them to try and play some club ball

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(Photo by T.W. MILLER)

Amy Tapp goes up for the spike. Granite City coach Amy Cole said Tapp was the best team communicator and the squad's spark.

Saints KO Kahoks for Illinois soccer title

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

ST. CHARLES — St. Charles won its second straight Illinois state soccer championship Saturday night with a 2-0 victory over Collinsville.

And in the process, the Saints (29-0-2) ran their unbeaten streak to 59 games. The Saints became the first team to win back-to-back state titles since the Kahoks in 1991-92. There have been two other unbeaten state champions, but neither won in consecutive years.

The final game at St. Charles High School was a rematch from the 1991 title game, when Collinsville defeated St. Charles 1-0.

"In this day and age, it's an absolutely fantastic achievement to go undefeated and have three straight shutouts and a state championship — especially with a relatively young team like this," said St. Charles coach Paul Keenan. "And when you're on your home turf, it's just all the sweeter."

CHS placed at state for the first time since 1993, when it finished third.

"This is super to be in the championship game," CHS coach Ron Rowden said. "The only unfortunate thing is playing the home team on their home field. We've done it before, but they are such a strong team.

"The accomplishments of this team is second to no one if you want to look at where we came from to where we finished. We've had state titles before, but this team really deserved it."

The Kahoks (18-6-2) held the defending state champions scoreless in the opening half of the game, but St. Charles clearly dominated play. The Saints outshot the Kahoks 7-1.

Jeff Watrobka and Kevin Brady had the best opportunities for the Saints in the opening half. Watrobka hit the far post with 11 minutes left. Brady blasted a shot that bounced off CHS keeper Mike Bettorf's chest to Jason Franco, whose shot went over the net.

The Kahoks did muster up a shot in the opening half on a corner kick, but that was their only legitimate threat.

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Enough hoopla: Area colleges anxious to start season

Coach: Defense will be BAC strength

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

Belleville Area College men's basketball coach Jay Harrington hopes that a solid finish to last season will carry over to this year.

"We were 19-13 and lost by eight points to John A. Logan in the first game (of the regional tournament), but we did well for the type of team we had," said Harrington, in his 18th season with the Dutchmen. "We weren't as big as we've normally been. We had some great guards, but our post players were up and down.

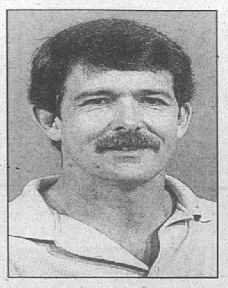
"Losing a (high school) all-state player like Duane Roth for most of the year really hurt. Nate Johnson injured his knee in the preseason and then he was ill for two weeks. All things considered, I was pleased with the amount of games we won."

Returning players include:

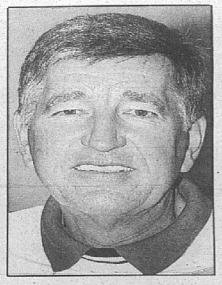
— Roth, a 6-foot-6 forward from Lebanon.
— Josh Toal, a 6-2 guard from Gibault.
— DeAndre Jones, a 6-7 forward from Louisville, Ky.
— Trez Tanner, a 6-1 guard from Belleville East.
— Monte Mister, a 5-10 guard from O'Fallon.

"We have to build around DeAndre Jones and Josh Toal

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Jay Harrington
BAC coach



Harry Statham
McKendree coach

Statham happy with Bearcats' stature

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

Another year, another milestone for Harry Statham.

This is Statham's 30th season as head basketball coach at McKendree College, but the NAIA's winningest active coach says it's no big deal.

"Every year is special," said Statham, who entered the season with 656 wins at his alma mater.

Last season, the Bearcats were 25-9 and reached the second round of the NAIA national tournament. McKendree, seeded 21st among 32 teams, defeated No. 13 East Texas before losing to No. 4 Lipscomb University.

The Bearcats, the defending American Midwest Conference champions, started this season on the road with victories over Barat College (85-77) and Indiana University-Northwest (119-52). They took a 5-0 record into Tuesday's home game against Rosary after hosting and winning last weekend's AMC preseason tournament.

"We lost four four-year players: Jon Kraus, Marc Derwort, Scott Brennan and Fernando Stevenson," Statham said. "Kraus was a third-team All-American and Derwort was honorable mention. They were both all-conference for three years and they

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Cardinals Team of the Week

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The parochial division (seventh and eighth grade) softball team at St. Teresa School in Belleville won the diocesan playoffs with a 3-0 record and was 11-1 in the Metro CYO. Team members include (front row from left) Leigh Burton, Janelle DeCourcey, Breanne Droit, Bonnie Larson and Stefanie Fournie; (middle row), Stephanie Sandman, Becky Trame, Emily Guest, Katie Fahrner, Kimi Wescoat and Jana Dusek; and (back row) coach Dave Foeller, Donelle Feld, Kelly Katricka, Ashley Phillips, Lauren Scannell, Tess Seibert and Katy Warnecke.

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in the offseason. We like what we're starting to build here."

The challenge for Cole is finding replacements for senior leaders Stephanie Brandt (5-11) and co-captains Amy Tapp (5-9) and Tonna Druhe (5-5). They were the team's inspirational and statistical leaders throughout the season. Druhe, for example, easily led GCHS in passing from her lone setter position, averaging nearly six assists per game.

"Tonna was the leader who ran the offense," Cole said. "She was always solid in her serving. With her passing, she usually decided who was going to hit and who wasn't."

Most of Druhe's sets were aimed for Brandt or Tapp, two outside hitters who ranked first and second, respectively, on the team in kills. They evolved into the true "put away" spikers Cole feared she didn't have starting the season.

"Amy Tapp was our best communicator and she got the other girls fired up," Cole said. "She made honorable mention All-Conference. She was just a steady hitter from the outside."

Brandt was Granite City's only player to earn first team All-Conference honors. While best known around campus as a three-time state track qualifier in the discus throw, Brandt raised her volleyball game to peak level in her last prep go-around.

"Stephanie was a good blocker and really an aggressive go-to hitter," Cole said. "She could score from the back row as well as the front row. She was just a solid player all the way around."

Perhaps no Lady Warrior was more confident and consistent with their all-around game than Bohnenstiehl, an undersized outside hitter.

"Lisa relied on her quickness to offset her size," Cole said. "She could anticipate and read the ball very well."

The 5-9 Lasiter, also slightly smaller than most middle blockers, was an active leaper at the net area. Both scrappy and athletic, she also was among the team leader in floor burns. Lasiter played one of her better matches in the season finale, a 15-6, 15-10 loss to a 25-6 team in semifinals of the Belleville East Sectional.

"Kerry worked really hard all year," Cole said. "She ran some quick attacks for us, and she was a good blocker for her height. She's only 5-9, but she was quick in the middle, and she got up there and blocked with the 6-footers. She had a nice floater serve, too. She kept improving on her hitting all year, though the blocking was her specialty."

Wright continues proving that tall, rangy players can be effective back-row defenders. Wright seemed to take a knee for key back-row digs every match. When rotating to the front, her kill percentage was comparable to that of Brandt and Tapp. And Wright led the team in blocking average.

"Jenna Wright played a really solid game on defense, which includes blocking and passing," Cole said. "She was probably one of our better defensive players. She always hustled on the court and always worked hard in practice."

Cole seldom went to her bench, which explains why she kept only two other varsity players for the entire season. They were seniors Chrissie Greathouse (outside hitter) and Melanie Gensert (defender), both productive role players. Cole promoted sophomores Jamie Raub and Kristen Ely from the junior varsity team for the playoffs.

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Rowden said he wasn't searching for excuses, but the Kahoks were definitely hurting without the services of a healthy Jeff Rhymer and Sean Gregory. Rhymer and Gregory didn't even play in the Kahoks' 3-1 semifinal victory over Chicago Foreman earlier in the day.

Rhymer did start against St. Charles, but just a few minutes into the game he made a hard sliding tackle and came up with a noticeable limp. Gregory was not at a 100 percent because of a nagging Achilles tendon injury. Even Ryan Bettorf came up with a noticeable limp in the first half and had to leave the field for a while.

After the Saints were held scoreless for more than 60 minutes, Derek Shanahan finally was able to break down the Kahoks' defense. Brett Wienke's corner kick came right to Shanahan, who headed the ball into the net for a 1-0 lead at 69:40.

The Kahoks had a restart kick just outside the Saints' PK box with 5:13 remaining. As the Kahoks sent the ball toward the wall in front of the net, CHS was whistled for a foul and was never able to get a shot on net.

CHS did its best to push forward and generate some scoring opportunities, and the Saints took advantage of the Kahoks' aggressiveness. Less than 30 seconds after the Kahoks' restart, Nathan Baes came streaking down the right wing and sent a perfect pass through the box to Mike Murphy, who was unmarked. Murphy tapped the ball into the net to round out the scoring.

Journal Writers' Poll

Football

LARGE SCHOOLS

1. Mehlville (10-0)..... 70
2. Pattonville (9-1)..... 62
3. Hazelwood Central (9-1)... 55
4. Edwardsville (10-1)..... 50
5. SLUH (8-2)..... 33
6. Hazelwood East (8-2)..... 31
7. Webster Groves (8-1)..... 29
8. Francis Howell (9-1)..... 24
9. CBC (9-1)..... 22
10. East St. Louis (9-2)..... 7

Also receiving votes: Triad (9-2) and Fort Zumwalt North (6-4).

SMALL SCHOOLS

1. MICDS (9-0)..... 69
2. St. Charles West (9-1)..... 64
3. Herculaneum (9-1)..... 52
4. John Burroughs (6-3)..... 45
5. Freeburg (9-2)..... 40
6. Berkeley (9-1)..... 36
7. Ladue (8-2)..... 24
8. Althoff (8-3)..... 21
9. Priory (8-2)..... 18
10. Crystal City (7-2)..... 9

Also receiving votes: Orchard Farm (8-2), Eureka (4-6), Windsor (7-3) and McCluer North (5-5).

Sports shorts

Chili Open

The Legacy Golf Course's second annual Chili Open will be held Saturday, Nov. 16.

Tee times for the four-player scramble event start at 10 a.m. The fee of $160 per team covers 18 holes with a cart, prize money and a chili buffet after the tournament.

An optional skins game will be offered.

For more information, call Mike at 931-4653.

Officials needed

The Granite City Park District is currently looking for basketball officials for adult leagues, to be played on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 7, 8 and 9 p.m. The leagues run from Nov. 19 to March 1997 and are played at local middle and elementary schools.

Anyone interested should call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 877-3059.

Adult basketball league

The Granite City Park District is starting a 35-and-older basketball league. Games will be played on Wednesday evenings at Prather Elementary School or Grigsby Middle School. The league is open to players 35 years old during the current calendar year.

Registration is now being taken, and the fee is $230 per team. Anyone interested in the program should contact the Wilson Park office at 877-3059.

Indoor soccer tourney

Applications are being taken for the 10th annual Metro East Indoor Tournament of Champions, Nov. 24-27 and Nov. 29-Dec. 1 at the Ball Park Sports Center in O'Fallon.

The indoor soccer tournament is open to all boys and girls outdoor and indoor recreational teams with players who were born between Aug. 1, 1982 and July 31, 1990 — basically first- through eighth-graders.

The fee is $130, with three games guaranteed. Individual and team awards will be given, depending on the number of entries in each division.

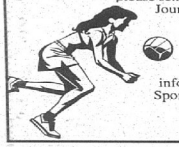
The Ball Park Sports Center, the Althoff High School boys soccer program and Downtown Imprints '81 SC, a select team from the Collinsville-Troy area, will serve as hosts for the tournament.

For more information or to receive an application, call Bob Emig at 344-0984 or 632-1002.

BAC soccer clinic

Belleville Area College will hold a winter soccer clinic from 7-9 p.m. on Dec. 9, 16 and 23 at BAC's intramural gym, 2500 Carlyle Ave.

Wanted: Stats, standings



The *Journal* is always on the alert for organized recreational sport results. If your league is interested in having weekly standings and results published, please send information to: Journal *Sports*, 1815 Delmar, Granite City, Ill 62040 or fax to: 876-4240. For more information, call the Sports Department at 877-7700.





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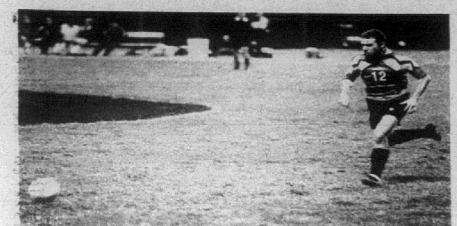
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Warrior Scott Mills moves in.

•Soccer

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Briggs was picked the No. 1 player in southern Illinois and he did everything you would expect from a player of that caliber. Scott Mills made first team All- Southwestern Conference. Eric Edwards made first team All-Sectional and he was second team All-Conference, along with (senior mid-stopper) Eric Wilkerson."

The Warriors played their last-two games without Wilkerson, who had an eye injury. During the season, Wilkerson and Edwards often rotated at the marker position, meaning they were assigned to guard the opponents' high-scoring striker. Baker had six starting senior field players in all, including forward Curt Howard and versatile backer Walt Greathouse.

"Wilkerson and Greathouse were named our most improved players," Baker said. "Walt was another one of those kids who played wherever we needed him. He was mostly a back, but he started the final game at midfield."

Edwards was the team's top backfield playmaker, scoring eight goals and 16 points. Briggs was the top clutch scorer with a team-high five playoff goals, including two against Belleville East.

"Kyle Briggs made the All-State team, the All-Midwest team, and the Chicago Tribune's 11-man dream team for the state," Baker said. "That Tribune team is very hard to make, but Kyle's a special player."

Mills dented the nets more than any Warrior for the entire season with 10 goals. He also added other contributions.

"Scott played every third of the field when we needed him," said Baker, whose only other seniors on the 24-man roster were midfielders George Wolfe and Andrew Owney and backup goalkeeper Alex Bautsch. "Scott Mills was an extremely flexible, yet determined player who did so much to make this a good team."

Baker had three juniors among his four remaining field regulars, including midfielder Josh Hickam. Hickam replaced Wilkerson as marker against Highland (15-7-0) and shut down Bulldogs senior Tim Marks, the Metro East scoring leader with 30 goals. Hickam also had a goal against Belleville East.

The other juniors were striker Adam Sanchez and mid-stopper Corey Wallace, both potential senior captains for next year.

"Corey broke his thumb in two different spots (at midseason) and had to play with a cast on his hand," Baker said. "He came back a few games before the playoffs, but he really didn't get back to full tilt until the last game."

Optimism for next season also centers around forward Corey Winfield, Baker's only sophomore starter this fall. Winfield had a goal in the Highland game.

Junior Jeremy Smith went 11-5-4 as the ace goalkeeper although Baker is still itching to place him at midfield, where he performs even better. Keep an eye next year on freshman goalie sensation Justin Boehr.

"(Junior strikers) Dane Bauer and Shane Brown return with great speed, so they probably will become starters," Baker said. "(Junior) Jonas Janek is a backup marker who also had a good year for us. (Junior midfielder) Lucas Geggus also saw a lot of quality time. So we're looking forward to next year, although I'm very proud of the one the kids just had."

•Bearcats

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were our top two scorers last year. Derwort was our No. 2 rebounder behind Marcus Prewitt."

That leaves McKendree with three returning starters:

— Prewitt, a 6-foot-5 senior center from Shawnee Community College and Egyptian High.

— Chad Mills, a 5-11 senior guard (Mineral Area College, Flat River, Mo., Central High).

— Brian Schutz, a 6-5 senior forward/center (College of Illinois, North Greene High).

"Jason Schneider (a 6-2 senior from Mascoutah High School) has stepped up and is much-improved," Statham said. "Ryan Mitchell (a 6-7 junior from Elizabethtown) is a big guy and will divide time at the post. Jeff Thayer (a 6-5 sophomore from Salem) played a lot as a freshman."

Newcomers are:

— Marty Adams, a 6-4 junior (Patoka, Olney Central College).

— Andre Taylor, a 6-6 junior (Chicago DuSable High, Rend Lake College).

— Dwight Russell, a 6-6 junior (Cairo, Rend Lake).

— Lawrence Simmons, a 6-2 junior (Inkster, Mich., Oakland, Mich., Junior College).

— Dan Moore, a 6-5 freshman from Hazelwood West in St. Louis.

"Adams is a wing player with solid range — he's a good defender and rebounds well for his size," Statham said. "Russell is a good defensive player on the inside. Moore is versatile and can play inside or outside.

"Right now, our starting lineup has the returning guys plus Adams and Taylor, but we'll play everybody. We have good balance and good depth.

"We're a little more athletic and a little bigger this year. We have more 6-6 guys across the front and we'll probably run more. We may not be as good at 3-point shooting, but we'll be tenacious offensively and defensively."

In addition to a tough conference schedule — three AMC teams are ranked in the preseason top 25 — McKendree plays a solid non-conference slate. On Dec. 5, the Bearcats play at Southeast Missouri State University, an NCAA Division I school.

"We're pointing toward postseason play and the conference," Statham said. "Early on, we may be a little out of sync, but we'll play hard and use a lot of people. We want to go 10 deep and that takes time, but in the long run it provides great dividends."

McKendree closed out the AMC preseason tourney with an 80-77 double-overtime win over Park College on Saturday. The Bearcats also defeated Missouri Baptist (84-78) and Hannibal-LaGrange (88-70).

•BAC

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because they both started about every game last year, but we're not relying on them to be the team," Harrington said. "For the last two years, we depended on Jan Wooten (now at the University of Washington) and he was always being keyed upon and double-teamed. Now we have 10 or 11 players we can rely on at any time."

New local players on the roster are 6-1 guard Eric Schwehr (Lebanon), 6-3 guard Chris McMillin (Triad), 6-5 forward Greg McDaniel (Roxana) and 6-2 guard Melvin Cochran (Collinsville). McMillin is a transfer from Kaskaskia College, but didn't play last year.

Out-of-state recruits are 6-8 forward Maurice Stephens (Newark, N.J.); 6-5 forward Danny Davidson (from Vashon High School in St. Louis); 6-1 guard Ronnie Caywood (Winchester, Ky.) and 6-9 center Jeff Wennberg (Denver).

"Any of those new guys are capable of playing," Harrington said. "They've all been up and down during the practice season, but learning the system is the hard part.

"I think we'll be a good defensive team. We'll be able to do some things we haven't done in a long time, like trying to run and press. The question mark is always how well they play together and how they perform when the chips are down."

BAC opens the season Friday and Saturday in the Vincennes Tournament and will play host to the McKendree junior varsity at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 19. Harrington enters the season with 398 junior college wins (including three years at Wabash Valley). He has 412 total victories, including 14 as junior varsity coach at Western Kentucky.

"Vincennes should be one of the top teams in the nation by the end of the year," Harrington said. "We play nine of our first 13 games on the road, but we're trying to build for the (Great Rivers Athletic) conference and the regional tournament.

"Our goal every year is to win 20 games. If we can do that, I'll be happy."

•Art

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a contention confirmed by prep soccer observers throughout the state this season. There have been way too many cards and way too many ejections.

According to Marty Hickman, the Illinois High School Association official overseeing soccer, a total of 192 ejections had occurred as of Oct. 14.

"It's over 200 now," Hickman told me at the sectional Nov. 2 at SIUE.

If that number is vague, consider other ejections related to unsportsmanlike conduct as reported through Oct. 14: girls golf, 1; fall baseball, 2; girls volleyball, 5; and boys football, 144.

The solution? Some observers think incorporating a three-man officiating system for all high school soccer games is necessary, but even Hickman is aware there might not be enough officials to go around.

And, after watching Bartolomucci, who is to say three the same as the number of officials at the Collinsville-Springfield game — will change behavior?

The answer rests with the coaches who must discipline and demand respect. Should they fail, I'm convinced school administrators will step in and do more than just the current abiding by the IHSA rule which forces a red-carded or two yellow-carded player to sit out his next game.

Meanwhile, Bartolomucci has another year of eligibility, and when he's gone, someone else will replace him.

OVERTIME: Walden's goal led to one of the strangest celebrations I've witnessed. After scoring, he took a victory prance with arms raised past the Collinsville bench, past his own bench and finally fall to the ground with his teammates atop him. Of course, the goal was the first scored by Springfield in four years at SIUE's Bob Guelker Field.



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Corrections, additions and deletions of information are encouraged, and new entries may be added at anytime by calling the newsroom at 876-2000.

This calendar runs in every Wednesday's Journal.

Wednesday, Nov. 13

American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1340, meets at Nelson Hagnauer Town Hall. Doors open at 5 p.m. Refreshments, short meeting, followed by evening of games. All seniors 50 and over welcome. Christmas dinner/dance tickets on sale at A.A.R.P. desk, Mon - Fri, 9-12. Members $6; Guests $8. For information call 877-3020.

Granite City Business and Professional Women, meeting at Jerry's Cafeteria. Dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by a program at 7:15. Open to the public. For more information call 452-5391 or 451-6914.

Disabled American Veterans Chapter 53 will offer a service officer from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St., in Granite City. Call 876-7816 for more information.

Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens bingo, noon, 3910 Illinois 111, Pontoon Beach.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3019.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m. Gateway Foundation, 600 W. Lincoln Ave., Caseyville. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Pontoon Road, Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

Divorced and Separated Group Ministry, 7-8:30 p.m., Eden United Church of Christ, 903 Second Street, Edwardsville, 656-9268.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Madison Community Action Group, meets at 7 p.m. For more information call Dan at 452-2336 or Diane at 876-1360.

Thursday, Nov. 14

Edwardsville Kennel Club, 7:30 p.m., Hayes Mallory Community Building, 216 Crane St., Edwardsville, open to public.

Madison County Genealogical Society, meets 7 p.m. at Immanuel United Church, 800 N. Main, Edwardsville.

Multiple Sclerosis self-help group meets from 7 to 9 p.m. in Pascal Hall at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 2100 Madison Ave. in Granite City. Call 797-2780 or 451-0728 for more information.

Navy Mothers Clubs of America, meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Granite City. Mothers, fathers, daughters, wives or sisters of former and present Navy, Marines, Coast Guard or Sea Bees are encouraged to join. For further information, call 931-2292 or 876-2209.

Bemis Chiropractor, 3361 Fehling Road in Granite City, is offering free electronic spinal screenings from 9 a.m. to noon. Call 876-2273 for more information.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Eagle Park Acre Seniors of Madison meet from 10 a.m. to noon at 100 Hill St. (rear), Eagle Park Acres, Madison.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m. Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison Ave., Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly Chapter 2363, 6:45 p.m. at Anchorage Recreation Center, 2909 Edwards St. For information, 797-6351 or 877-2784.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Seeking recovery, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Granite City Community Band rehearsals, 7:30 to 9 p.m., St. John United Church of Christ, 2901 Nameoki Road, Granite City, 931-0443.

Friday, Nov. 15

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. in the Milonski Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 463-2429 for more information.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Friday Afternoon Pinochle Club for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. at the Harold Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Pontoon Road. Call 877-0350 for more information.

STEMSS (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), A support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at Pascal Hall, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Call 798-3604 for more information.

Saturday, Nov. 16

Obsessive/Compulsive Disorder Support Group, meets at Von Gontard Conference Center at St. John's Mercy Medical Center, 615 South New Ballas Road, 10 a.m. Meeting is free and open to OCD patients, family and friends. For information call 1 (314) 843-3578.

Al-Anon Adult Children Providence, 2103 Iowa, 10 a.m., park in rear, no smoking, 452-8596.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa, Granite City, 463-2429.

Narcotics Anonymous, Acceptance, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9 a.m. to noon. Samuel Turner is the chairman, Valonda Turner is the secretary and Alfred Turner is the pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 17

The Pontoon Beach Jaycees regular meeting is held at 7:30 p.m. at Ralph and Charlie's Steak House. The meetings are open and the public is invited.

Craft Shown and Flea Market will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens building, 3910 Highway 111. For more information, call 756-2513.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Narcotics Anonymous, Live the Steps, 8 p.m., 2016 Delmar Ave., 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Pascal Hall, main floor, Granite City, 1 (800) 307-6600.

Eagles Auxiliary 1126 Bingo, 1 p.m. at the Nameoki Bingo Center. Also included will be a color raffle, 50/50 drawing free games and other raffles.

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Sts. Alive visit Per Marquette State Park

The Madison County Baptist Association group Sts. Alive went to Per Marquette State Park, in vans furnished by Second Baptist Church, Thursday, Oct. 17, 1996.

They left the church grounds at 10 a.m. and drove along the Great River Road to the park. The fall tree colors were beautiful.

The group stopped at one of the country stores and bought apples and other things the store had to offer. Bob Lewis, president, played a medley of songs on the harmonica when we stopped at one of the lookout points in the park. The group had lunch in Alton at Cane Bottom/My Just Desserts Restaurant before returning to Granite City. Everyone had a good time. The drivers of the vans were Carlos Larault and Leroy Smith from Second Baptist Church. Sts. Alive wants to thank the van drivers and Dr. Wilkinson for the trip.

Others going on the trip, besides those already mentioned, were Louise Acocks, Myra Grote, Frances Teldman, Pauline Harp, Vera Kirkpatrick, Betty Eggemeyer, Virginia Arakaki, Dorothy Watkins, Betty Smith, Erby & Millie Wood, Glen & Phyllis Knight, Earl & Fern Affaltar, Kathy Sargent and Shirley Deak.

Evelyn Wilkinson, coordinator of the trip, said the group might go to one of the area malls in December for shopping and lunch.

A trip to Nashville, Tenn., is planned for April 28 through May 1. Anyone interested in the trip should call the Baptist Center at 931-6222 for information.

CWU to sponsor blood drive

Thirty-nine members of Church Women United (CWU) met Oct. 24 at Holy Family Catholic Church with president Helen Todoroff presiding.

Church Women United serves the community in many ways. A successful CROP Walk, which raised approximately $6,000, was celebrated Oct. 27 at a Victory Celebration. St. Peter United Church of Chris. Several members planted shrubs and mums and seeded the lawn at 2156 Adams where the H.O.M.E. Project is renovating a residence. The home will be rented rented to a qualifying family with children under a unique rental system. The rent will be returned at the end of a two-year period as a downpayment on a house selected by the family.

A blood drive is being sponsored by CWU from 2 to 7 p.m. Nov. 19 at Suburban Baptist Church. A goal of 50 pints is being sought. Roberta Cottrell is chairman of the drive.

Eleven members of the Quad City Unit traveled to Centralia to a CWU Area Institute.

There they were informed of a CWU state project to raise funds for "Hope For the Children," a home community where families may live and adopt a minimum of four foster children. The area is on the old Chanute Air Field property in Rantoul. Senior citizens may rent homes there at reduced rent in exchange for volunteering as surrogate grandparents for foster children.

The Parent Store of Head Start in Granite City benefits from collecting items not covered by food stamps at each of the Unit's monthly meetings. Money for blankets for Church World Service was dedicated at the World Community Day Celebration on Nov. 1 at St. John United Church of Christ. In addition, 72 layettes were furnished to Co-ordinated Youth for mothers in need of assistance with newborns.

Thirty-nine churches in the Quad City Area have representatives in Church Women United. Christian women of all faiths are invited to the next Church Women United meeting at 10 a.m. Nov. 21, at Holy Family Catholic Church.

Births

Warren

Larry and Jennifer Warren of Granite City have announced the birth of their third child, a girl.

Lori Ann was born at 9:37 p.m. Aug. 30, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

The mother is the former Jennifer Wallace.

Maternal grandmother is Patty Venable of Bethalto.

Paternal grandparents are Marcia and Butch Warren of Granite City.

Lori Ann joins Ashley Nichole and Joshua Allen.

Groetecke

Donald Groetecke Jr. and Heather Shafer of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a boy.

Donald III was born at 9:50 p.m. Aug. 29, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Ron and Ida Shafer of Granite City.

Paternal grandfather is Don Groetecke Sr. of Collinsville.

Deskey

Anthony Deskey and Rebecca Brown have announced the birth of their first child, a boy.

Chance Lee was born at 2:57 p.m. Aug. 21, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. He weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Bill and Debra Brown of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Johnny and Kathy Deskey of Hardy, Ark.

Robert H. O'Bear and Kirstin R. Goodrum of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a boy.

Joseph Daniel Robert was born at 11:40 p.m. Aug. 30, 1996, at Luthern Medical Center in St. Louis. He weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

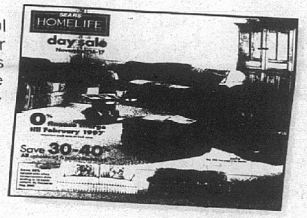
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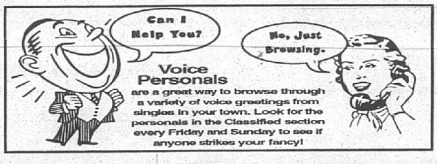
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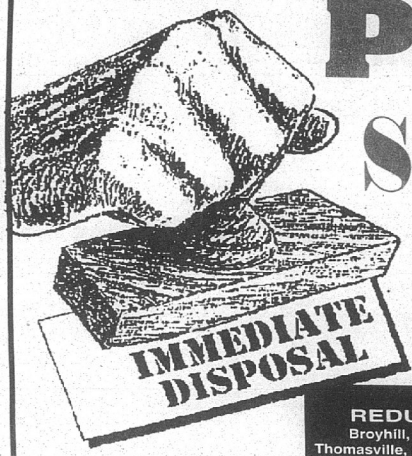
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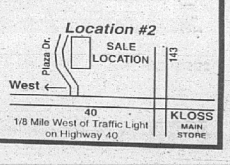
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Horoscope

Wednesday, Nov. 13

Exploring the many ways to nurture your spirit is somehow more rewarding under the Scorpio sun. An emptiness inside can be filled in positive ways. The Sagittarius moon encourages you to go to any length to find the one that works best for you. Teachers go that extra mile to help. The gym or jogging trail is crowded with good sports.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Wild rumors should be taken with a grain of salt. Business conditions are not as bad as you hear. Complete your obligations even though they've become more demanding than you anticipated. Make reservations.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). You are admired and loved, though people sometimes do not express this. Continue to strengthen your position from behind the scenes. The investment picture is very strong. You find solutions to health problems.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). A hero sets you free from fear and a time-consuming duty. Several new friends are involved in the plans. Your mate or date may or may not come through as expected, but he or she will be along later. Talk good sense.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). If your boss or a customer is comparing your work with that of a rival, you win. Give in to your mate's wishes if at all possible. Creative differences can be solved with understanding and maturity. Think about what you say.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Put aside differences and enjoy the one you love. A job may have to be redone if you don't catch that important detail that's left out of the figuring. You meet an exercise partner. Your family may not approve of your date.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Nov. 13). By joining forces with people who think like you do, changes are made. At the end of this month, you find out exactly how powerful you are. Job hunts are successful next month. A romance is slow but very positive. Work out the details in June, and get married in July. Your windfall months are March and May. Your best signs for love are Taurus and Capricorn.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Lots of new ideas are proposed, but you weed out the bad ones immediately. Struggling with the tools doesn't help; if it gets too complicated, just take a break. The results of your hard work last month are finally coming in.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You already know how to flirt, but this smart new person brings a fresh element to the fun. Put in a good word for a friend — if you can open doors for someone special, the doors will open for you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Let issues resolve themselves. When you trust in the divine order of the universe, everything falls into place. Your social life is perking up. Spend more time with an adventurous Aries. Complete plans for a family get-together.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). A co-worker who is romantically interested may be very insistent. Don't believe all you hear. Stay home tonight. Try every source; there's bound to be a way. An afternoon meeting may change all the morning's plans.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You have the means to put projects into action today. Don't snap at subordinates because you'll need their cooperation very soon. Delaying gratification makes life more fulfilling. Good news is very cheering.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Communication is favored, and you are a pro. Happy relationships with those who care about you are rewarding. On the job, anything goes — expect the unexpected. If you have to jump into strange waters, get advice.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Assert yourself! You are able to meet a client or lover half way without feeling like it's a sacrifice. Keep to your usual routine and very unusual events will occur. Following a hunch can indeed lead to profit.


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Homemakers meet

TRIO Unit of Madison County Homemakers had six members attend the Monday, Oct. 28, meeting held in Edwardsville at the Farm Bureau Auditorium. Those attending were Sara Huber, Roberta Cottrell, Betty Welsh Epperson, Vivian Forshee, Lorna Henson, and Annette Scott.

The Madison County International Day consisted of an excellent presentation with beautiful slides given by Peggy Ostermeier, the Illinois exchangee to Wales. The presentation was followed by delicious samples of different foods prepared from recipes from a West Wales cookbook.

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Pentagon weighs in on Hollywood's movie scripts

The request to the Pentagon was fairly routine: The makers of the movie "Clear and Present Danger" wanted to borrow three heavily armed helicopters.

Normally, this would be no problem for the Pentagon's film office, which handles hundreds of such requests from Hollywood each year. The film companies pay all the costs, and the Pentagon makes sure the military gets some positive publicity.

But there was a problem. The film makers were going to use the helicopters in Mexico, about 200 miles (320 kilometers) from the southern state of Chiapas, where very real shooting was taking place between rebels and government troops.

To Phil Strub, who coordinates the Defense Department film liaison office in Washington, it was a delicate situation. Would a Mexican government beset by civil unrest ever grant permission just to make a U.S. film crew happy? And what would Mexican citizens think?

"We were very concerned that there could be a misconception that they were real," Strub said of the celluloid battle scenes starring Harrison Ford.

Like a seasoned diplomat, Strub went to work. The Hollywood producers agreed to tone down some of the script's ugly American portrayals, the Mexican concerns were satisfied and permission finally was granted for filming to take place.

"Everyone was really understanding," Strub said. "It happens very often where people have the attitude, 'Hey, this is a movie, don't bother us. ... The last thing we want to hear about is a movie."

So it goes at Strub's office — where the Pentagon lends a hand, or a tank, to Hollywood to ensure that films reflect accurately and positively on the military.

"We feel strongly that the images people see of the military in Hollywood are the most formative images," said Major Nancy LaLuntas, director of Marine public affairs in Los Angeles.

"(We've) maintained all along that if we have the ability to accurately influence those images, the American public will have a better image of the military."

Film makers send scripts with wish lists to the military film offices asking for tanks, aircraft carriers, active-duty officers to play extras, or just technical advice to make a story more accurate.

The Pentagon then uses its leverage to persuade film makers to change parts of the story deemed inaccurate or too negative.

"You can do anything in the movie business with enough money. But it's easier with (Pentagon) approval," said producer Mace Neufeld, who worked with the military on "Clear and Present Danger," "The Hunt for Red October," "Patriot Games" and "Flight of the Intruder."

How much film makers are willing to revise depends on how much help they need, Strub said. A movie like "Top Gun," about Navy fighter pilots, could not have been made without the military — because "you can't just rent aircraft carriers."

And some movie makers balk at Pentagon interference. For example, "A Few Good Men," which starred Tom Cruise as a Navy lawyer investigating a death at a Marine base headed by a brutal colonel (Jack Nicholson), was made without help from the Pentagon. In this case, the military objected to the "unrelentingly negative" portrayal of some of the Marines.

Usually, he said, both sides bend a little.

"We say 'These are areas that are unrealistic. We know this isn't a documentary, we know this isn't news, but you've got to have some plausibility,' " said Strub.

Pentagon approval certainly makes life easier, said Amy Lemisch, who co-produced "Renaissance Man," starring Danny DeVito as an English teacher hired to educate U.S. troops.

"I've talked to a lot of people who didn't get approval ... and we were lucky," Lemisch said. "They gave us the locations. They gave us the attention. They gave us military extras."

Film makers pay the Pentagon the costs of operating the expensive equipment, such as helicopters, planes or tanks, that they rent. The military says the charges do not bring in a profit.

What the Pentagon gets is publicity. The 1986 movie "Top Gun," for example, was a tough but upbeat look at the Navy's elite fighter pilot training school.

"What 'Top Gun' did was show that you can make a movie about the military and it can be positive. It's not a career killer for actors. ... And probably the most important message for Hollywood — you can make a killing on some of these movies," Strub said.

Other movies that received Pentagon cooperation included:

— "Forrest Gump," the 1994 box-office smash that originally portrayed all of Gump's fellow soldiers in Vietnam as dim, except the lieutenant. "And the Army said it never would have happened that way," Strub said. So the producers changed it.

— "The Hunt for Red October," the 1990 movie about a Russian submarine captain who defects to the United States, bringing along his state-of-the-art vessel. "The entire sequence of putting Jack Ryan (Alec Baldwin) on the Dallas submarine was suggested by the sub commander" whom the writer and producer visited for six days before filming, Neufeld said.

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Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

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Heart-y Bites

Pasta that incorporates flavor expands options for supplying carbohydrates without a need for rich sauces.
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Blue Ribbon Cook

White chips, nuts and apricots make cookie a winner.
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Private Label Test Run

Canned early peas under the Preferred label can save money on a holiday table. Will guests detect a difference?
INSIDE

Micro Raves

Turkey talk: Subjects of defrosting, gravy, dressing.
INSIDE

Kids' Cuisine

Holiday baking is on the menu. To set a stage of anticipation for baking with a child, mark the day on a calendar and make a shopping list together. Give the child a choice of two favorite recipes from a cookbook or leaflet. Set rules early. Kitchen safety is the top priority. Be definite about using knives and electrical appliances only with adult supervision. Have children wash hands, tie back hair and roll up sleeves before they start. If cookies are the task, butter cookie recipes are free by sending a self-addressed, business-size envelope to: Real Butter Brings Out the Best in Holiday Baking, American Dairy Association, P.O. Box 760, Rosemont, Ill. 60018-7760.

Health & Fitness

Medicine Chest

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Fresh Picks

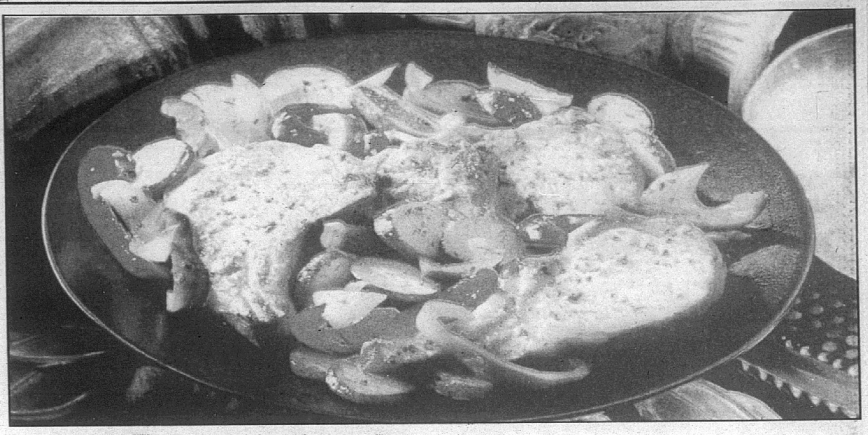
Unpeeled sweet potatoes have slightly more fiber and a few more calories than white potatoes. A white potato has twice the potassium than a sweet potato, but the colorful one is a giant when it comes to holding vitamin A. To keep down extra calories, shy away from topping them with whole-fat margarine, butter or sour cream.

Big Fat Tip

Even tangy vinaigrette salad dressing can be loaded with oil and fat. To lighten it, replace half the oil with defatted chicken stock, vegetable or tomato juice, or fruit juice, such as mango, pineapple or lemon. To thicken it, blend with a small amount of cooked rice or potato. Vinaigrette meshes with any favorite flavor. A basic recipe is 2 tablespoons vinegar, 2 tablespoons (or less) oil, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper and 1/2 teaspoon sugar, with spices, vinegar and oil varying by preference. Serve it over vegetables, greens or fruits.

Future Shop

Looking forward to a little space travel some day? In spite of weightlessness, astronauts burn the same number of calories as on earth. Medics monitoring them think it is due to stress, which also comes into play with their need for more protein. Bone loss accelerates in space, too, so they need extra calcium. Vitamin D must be activated because sunlight is lacking.



Season's Seasonings

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

The culinary aroma of pizza, pot roast, osso buco, chili pie, baked apples or pumpkin bread invites a stomach-growling, fork-in-the-hand response. Individual herbs move from country to country in characteristic combinations to create national flavor traits that accent foods and warm autumn appetites.

Used in dishes and medicine dating from primitive man to the magic of microwave, herbs create flavor frenzies that enhance appetizing foods without adding fat and calories. They globetrot with friendly flavors through the world. Settlers and seafarers were quick to pack them when they traveled to new lands.

For instance, the sweet oregano of Italy is a bold cousin of sweet marjoram, while in Greece it is an original herb-mate in cooking. When it moved to Mexico, it attained more potency, so it is used in chili powder while its European sisters are found in elegant pork dishes or on pizza.

In stews and sauces, herbs should be added during the last 20 minutes of cooking. In microwave recipes, feel free to add a little more because there is little cooking time to develop their flavor.

Start with too little, rather than too much, because herb flavor may gain intensity with time. The quantity always can be increased. Like other fresh foods, fresh herbs add distinctive flavor, but should be used in a proportion of 3-to-1 compared to dried herbs for equal intensity.

Crush them between the fingers just before adding to dishes. For longest storage, keep dried herbs in airtight

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LIVELY TASTE

Blurbs on herbs

Tarragon

Mild tarragon is an herb equated with French cuisine and chicken. It is a favorite flavoring in vinegar. Add it to potato salad, combine it with chervil for "French-ness," use it in tartar sauce and add it to soup or stew in the last 15 minutes.

Sage

Well-known for its part in stuffing a holiday bird, sage also offers a musty aroma and flavor compatible with pork, tomatoes, rice, pearl onions, eggplant and Brussels sprouts. One of the most strongly flavored herbs, it needs to be used with a light touch. It's a strong, shrubby growth without a need for much water, which probably accounts for its hardiness. Rubbed sage is less strong than leaf sage.

Parsley

Along with basil, dill and oregano, parsley is one of the basic four herbs. Mild and curly-edged, it is highly versatile. Dried in flake form, it adds flavor and visual appeal to everything from salad, soup and pasta to shellfish, meat and poultry. Among vegetables, it is the plant richest in iron. Flat-leafed Italian parsley is considered more flavorful. Flavor of both is concentrated in its stems.

Dill

A member of the parsley family, dill is often associated with seafood, potatoes, sauerkraut and other cabbage dishes, pickles and sauces. Its seeds and feathery weeds are prominent in Scandinavian cooking. To mince the weed, use a scissors.

Basil

A member of the mint family, basil was believed to be a passport to heaven by ancient Hindus. Essential in Italian sauce and pasta, its sweet, mild nature marries well with tomatoes, cheese, vegetables (particularly green beans), meat and poultry.

Rosemary

Fresh and sweet with a pine aroma, rosemary should be used lightly. It stands up well to grilling and often is used with poultry and meat, especially lamb. Sprigs of rosemary add aroma and flavor when tucked and roasted inside chicken. Use it only with stronger vegetables, like spinach, mushrooms, carrots, tomatoes and beans.

Today's Food

Private Label Test Run



Peas picked in June are the sweetest, most tender in the pod and come canned as select varieties.

Cook watches peas while getting cues from private label

Many holiday tables are not complete unless there is a bowl of tiny, young peas without a starchy feel. The can with the silvery label has been joined by a similar-looking one with a Preferred label next to it that is priced 30 to 40 cents less per 15-ounce can. They cost 59 cents a can at Dierbergs.

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Another opened the two brands side by side.

"I opened the Preferred brand first and was amazed at how much it was like the national brand. To me they looked exactly the same. The peas were small, green and kind of shiny, instead of dull and starchy in looks and feel," she said.

When she opened the national brand she was surprised to find the peas were a little greener, slightly larger and a little firmer in texture. There were about the same number of peas in each can.

"When I mixed them, it was hard to tell the difference. I can't imagine anyone else could distinguish them either. I'd definitely buy them for a holiday and even to keep in the pantry," she said.

Nutritional analysis of each brand is about the same.

An interesting by-product of the test was the availability of palatable frozen peas may have moved the standard to another arena.

Another tester said, "I usually eat frozen vegetables. These peas did have a good, sweet flavor though and were uniform in size and color. They turn out more mushy than frozen though."

She thought they might be better used to make pea soup for her one-person household.

Micro Raves

By SANDRA HOUNSOM

Turn out side dishes from quick-cooking oven

Let's talk turkey. It's that time of year again, when thoughts of wonderful aromas drifting from the kitchen entice you into planning a Thanksgiving meal. Usually many side dishes need to go into the oven at the same time.

This is when a microwave oven takes over.

First, it can defrost a turkey.

A bird 6 to 12 pounds defrosts better and more evenly than a larger size in the microwave. If the plan is to "bake" the turkey in the microwave as well, this same size is recommended.

Most microwave ovens today have a defrost cycle, so the oven handles it automatically. Allow 2 to 3 minutes per pound and turn the bird every couple minutes to see whether it is "cooking" in any spots. If it feels warm and is starting to turn gray, cover any warm areas with aluminum foil.

Without a defrost setting, first determine the total minimum defrosting time again at 2 to 3 minutes per pound, then divide this total time in fourths.

Place the plastic-wrapped turkey breast-down in a microwave oven. Defrost on high power one-fourth the computed time, turning every 2 minutes.

Remove the plastic wrap. Check to see if meat is beginning to cook. Turn breast-side up. Cook another one-fourth the computed time. Check periodically for warm areas.

After this second cooking time, let turkey stand 15 minutes before defrosting any further.

Again check for warm areas. Turn over bird and cook for third time period. Let bird stand 15 minutes before finishing with last one-fourth computed time.

Home economist Sandra Hounsom specializes in microwave cooking.

HERB STUFFING

- **1 pkg. (8 oz.) herb-seasoned stuffing mix**
- **½ cup chopped celery**
- **¼ cup minced onion**
- **1 can (4 oz.) mushroom stems and pieces, drained, reserving liquid**
- **2 tbsp. chopped pimento**
- **1 egg**
- **¼ cup (½ stick) butter or margarine, melted**
- **1½ cups chicken broth**

In casserole, toss together stuffing mix, celery, onion, mushrooms, pimento, egg, butter and broth. Moisten as desired with liquid from mushrooms, which also adds flavor.

Microwave casserole 18 to 20 minutes on high power, turning after 9 minutes.

Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Imaginative flavors pose pasta-bilities

Pasta not only come in multiple shapes and sizes it also now comes in imaginative flavors. Flavored pastas have hit supermarkets brimming with new fancies for old favorites.

Now bow ties, linguini and fettuccine pasta, among others, come in flavors, like porcini mushroom, salmon, pesto, sun-dried tomato, roasted pepper and more. They can be bought fresh in the refrigerated section, or dried in the pasta aisle of supermarkets.

Pasta provides complex carbohydrates for energy. A simple name for them is the starches we eat. Most Americans tip the scales in the direction of consuming too much fat and protein and too few complex carbohydrates.

The Food Guide Pyramid indicates complex carbohydrates — grain foods like bread and cereal, as well as rice and pasta — should provide the foundation for a healthful diet. A person needs, on average, somewhere between six and 11 servings per day.

This translates into a person striving to eat 50 to 60 percent of a day's calories from carbohydrates, no more than 30 percent of a day's calories from fat, and the remaining calories from protein.

Registered dietitian Barb Teng is a member of the nutrition committee for the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

Wise Ways

By CAROL SCHLITT

Baking pies early takes edge off holiday pressure

With Thanksgiving just two weeks away, now is the time to prepare and freeze favorite holiday foods.

Pumpkin and mincemeat pies are perfect examples of Thanksgiving foods that can be frozen successfully ahead of time. Either can be baked before or after freezing. Baking after freezing though yields a pie more like one freshly prepared and baked.

Yeast breads are another tempting make-ahead food. Yeast rolls can be frozen after baking or unbaked dough can be frozen. Baked rolls can be frozen up to four months while frozen dough should be thawed and baked within one week after freezing. Reheat foil-wrapped, frozen baked rolls in a 400° oven 20 minutes.

For rolls frozen in the dough stage, shape the dough into rolls and place in pans. Immediately wrap the pans in foil, seal and freeze. On Thanksgiving Day, remove rolls from the freezer, unwrap, and let the dough thaw and rise in a warm place 2 to 2½ hours. Bake in a 400° oven 15 to 20 minutes.

Carol C. Schlitt is extension educator, nutrition and wellness at the University of Illinois Cooperative Extension Service in Edwardsville.

PUMPKIN PIE

- **2 eggs, slightly beaten**
- **2 cups pumpkin (one 16-oz. can)**
- **¾ cup sugar**
- **½ tsp. salt**
- **1 tsp. cinnamon**
- **½ tsp. nutmeg**
- **½ tsp. ginger**
- **¼ tsp. cloves**
- **1 cup evaporated skim milk**
- **Unbaked 9 inch single-pie crust**

In order given, mix together eggs, pumpkin, sugar, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg, ginger, cloves and milk. Pour into pie crust.

Pie baked before freezing: Bake in preheated 450° oven 15 minutes. Reduce temperature to 350°. Bake 40 minutes. Cool pie thoroughly, wrap in foil and freeze.

PESTO LINGUINE WITH SAUTEED VEGETABLES

- **12 oz. uncooked pesto linguine**
- **1 tbsp. olive oil**
- **1 carrot, sliced**
- **1 cup sliced summer squash, such as zucchini**
- **1 cup fresh broccoli florets**
- **½ cup julienne-sliced red bell pepper**
- **½ cup chicken broth**
- **⅓ cup grated parmesan cheese**

Prepare pasta according to package directions.

Coat heavy pan with nonstick cooking spray. Heat with oil in pan. Saute carrot, squash, broccoli and bell pepper until tender. Add chicken broth. Simmer 2 minutes.

Blue Ribbon Cook

Chips, apricots and almonds win in cookie

Mary Jansen, South St. Louis County, is the winner of this week's dinner certificates from the Pasta House Co. for Fruit and Nut White Chip Cookies.

She found the recipe at a local supermarket several years ago. She calls it her "all-time favorite cookie recipe." While it is a simple recipe to make, the variables of brown sugar, light chips, fruit and almonds give it sweet and unusual appeal.

For a holiday variation, she uses walnuts and dried cranberries instead of almonds and apricots.

Recipes in the Soup or Stew Recipe Contest will be accepted through Nov. 30 for consideration as winner each of the four weeks in December. A recipe for any warm and savory soup or stew can be entered.

Send one recipe per household to: Soup or Stew Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

FRUIT-AND-NUT WHITE CHIP COOKIES

- **1⅔ cups flour**
- **½ tsp. baking soda**
- **¼ tsp. salt**
- **¾ cups (1½ sticks) butter, softened**
- **1 cup packed brown sugar**
- **1 tsp. vanilla**
- **1 egg**
- **2 cups white chocolate chips**
- **¾ cup chopped almonds**
- **¾ cup chopped dried apricots**

Preheat oven to 350°.

Combine flour, baking soda and salt in small bowl.

In large bowl, beat butter, brown sugar and vanilla until creamy. Beat in egg. Gradually beat in flour mixture. Stir in chips, apricots and almonds.

Drop dough by rounded tablespoon onto ungreased cookie sheets. Bake in preheated oven 10 to 12 minutes until golden brown.

Let stand 2 minutes. Remove from pan.

Seasonings

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containers in a cool, dry place away from heat and sunlight. A dark pantry is far superior to the top of a stove for keeping them sound and fresh.

If dried herbs hold little aroma when crushed, replace them. Wonderful combinations of herbs, from pumpkin pie spice to steak blends, are already packaged. If sodium is a concern, it is important to check ingredients on the bottle or package to see if salt, instead of herbs, is the flavor carrier.

Fresh herbs keep about 5 days in a refrigerator by wrapping them loosely in a damp paper towel and sealing them in an airtight plastic bag.

SAVORY PORK MEDLEY

- **1 lb. new potatoes, sliced ¼ inch thick**
- **1 small onion, cut in thin wedges**
- **1 red or green bell pepper, cut in strips**
- **2 tsp. leaf oregano**
- **½ tsp. salt**
- **2 tbsp. olive oil**
- **4 well-trimmed pork chops (½ inch thick)**
- **¼ tsp. garlic powder**

Season potatoes, onion and pepper with 1 teaspoon oregano and salt.

Heat 1 tablespoon oil in nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Cook vegetables 10 to 12 minutes until potatoes are slightly brown and tender. Remove vegetables and keep them warm.

Season pork chops with remaining teaspoon oregano and garlic powder. Add remaining 1 tablespoon olive oil to skillet, if needed. Over medium heat, saute pork chops, covered, 8 to 10 minutes per side until done. Drain.

Return vegetables to skillet with pork chops. Heat, covered, 3 to 5 minutes.

Serve immediately.

Makes 4 servings.

BROILED SALMON WITH DILL

- **2 tbsp. olive oil**
- **2 tsp. lemon juice**
- **1 tsp. dill weed**
- **¼ tsp. leaf marjoram**
- **¼ tsp. salt**
- **1 lb. fresh salmon fillets**

Combine olive oil, lemon juice, dill, marjoram and salt. Spread evenly over salmon.

Broil 8 to 10 minutes per inch of thickness or until fish flakes easily with fork.

Makes 4 servings.

LEMON AND HERB RICE

- **1 cup uncooked rice**
- **2 cups water**
- **1 tbsp. butter or margarine**
- **1½ tsp. parsley flakes**
- **½ tsp. salt**
- **¼ tsp. leaf oregano**
- **1 tbsp. lemon juice**

In saucepan, bring rice, water, butter, parsley, salt and oregano to boil. Simmer 20 to 25 minutes. Stir in lemon juice.

Makes 4 servings.

BASIL PARMESAN PASTA

- **8 oz. uncooked penne pasta**
- **3 tbsp. butter or margarine, melted**
- **3 tbsp. grated parmesan cheese**
- **1 tsp. leaf basil**
- **½ tsp. leaf marjoram**
- **½ tsp. garlic powder**
- **¼ tsp. salt**
- **Pepper, if desired**

Cook pasta according to package directions. Drain.

Combine pasta with butter, parmesan cheese, basil, marjoram, garlic powder, salt and pepper. Toss thoroughly.

Makes 6 servings.

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Serious sports fans cheer better with snack

Autumn comes with more than warm golden hues and fluttering leaves. No serious sports fan could ignore events like pregame tailgating, pee-wee soccer championships or watching a game with friends at home. Delicious food makes all these good times better.

When the game is about to begin and shouts of good-natured fan rivalry rise, minutes spent in the kitchen is time lost with guests.

To start the day right, pack a few Cheese 'n' Ham Biscuits for a tailgate party or early kickoff. With tantalizing combos of ham, colby Jack cheese and tangy strawberry preserves, these biscuits score big with fans, even before pregame activities end.

Keep die-hard fans fired up with delicious Black Bean Quesadillas. Turn any sporting event into a feast with Grilled Cheese Gobblers. Taste buds will be doing the victory dance as they savor sliced turkey, cheddar cheese and cranberry sauce sandwiched between two slices of grilled sourdough bread.

Unexpected overtime? There is no need to worry when Chunky Cheese Bread is on hand. Hot or at room temperature, it rejuvenates fans in no time.

CHEESE 'N' HAM BISCUITS

- 1 roll (10.8 oz.) refrigerated extra-large biscuits, baked
- 5 oz. thinly sliced ham
- 5 oz. sliced colby Jack cheese
- ⅓ cup strawberry preserves or orange marmalade

Preheat oven to 300°. Split biscuits. Layer ham and cheese on bottom. Spread biscuit tops with preserves. Place on sandwiches. Wrap loosely in aluminum foil. Bake in preheated oven about 15 minutes until hot.

Makes 5 servings; 460 calories, 16 g protein, 25 g fat and 44 g carbohydrate each.

GRILLED CHEESE GOBBLERS

- 8 slices sourdough or multi-grain bread
- ½ cup whole cranberry sauce
- 6 oz. sliced cooked turkey
- 4 oz. thinly sliced mild or sharp cheddar cheese
- Butter

Spread 4 slices bread with cranberry sauce. Top with turkey, cheese and remaining bread. Lightly spread outer face of sandwiches with butter.

In large skillet over medium-low heat, cook until browned on both sides.

Makes 4 servings; 367 calories, 21 g protein, 10 g fat and 46 g carbohydrate each.

BLACK BEAN QUESADILLAS

- ½ cup black beans, drained, slightly mashed
- 2 tbsp. mild chunky salsa
- 1 tbsp. chopped green onion
- 1 tbsp. chopped cilantro
- 1 cup (4 oz.) shredded pepper Jack cheese
- 8 flour tortillas
- Butter

Combine beans, salsa, green onion, cilantro and cheese. Divide mixture on 4 tortillas, spreading almost to edges. Top with remaining tortillas. Cut in wedges.

Cook quesadillas in generously buttered skillet over medium to medium-low heat 2 to 3 minutes on each side until browned.

Makes 4 servings; 242 calories, 12 g protein, 11 g fat and 28 g carbohydrate each.

CHUNKY CHEESE BREAD

- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) hot roll mix
- ¼ cup sun-dried tomatoes, chopped
- 1 tbsp. sliced green onion
- 8 oz. pepper Jack cheese, cut in ½ inch cubes

Make hot roll mix according to package directions, adding sun-dried tomatoes and green onion. Knead cheese into dough.

Divide dough in half. Shape in 2 round or oval loaves on greased cookie sheet. Let rise, covered, in warm place 30 to 40 minutes until doubled in size.

Preheat oven to 375°. Bake about 20 minutes.

Recipe

GRANDMA'S COOKIE JAR OATMEAL COOKIES

- 3 cups quick-cooking oats, uncooked
- 2 cups firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter, softened
- 2 eggs
- 1 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- ½ tsp. salt
- 2 tsp. vanilla
- 1¾ cups flour
- 1½ cups raisins

Preheat oven to 375°. Grease cookie sheets.

In large mixer bowl, combine oats, brown sugar, butter, eggs, baking soda, cinnamon, salt and vanilla. Using low speed of electric mixer, beat, scraping bowl often, 1 to 2 minutes until well mixed.

Add flour. Continue beating 1 to 2 minutes until well mixed. By hand, stir in raisins.

Drop by rounded teaspoonful 2 inches apart on prepared cookie sheets.

Bake in preheated oven 8 to 10 minutes until edges are lightly browned.

Makes 4 dozen cookies; 120 calories, 2 g protein, 19 g carbohydrate, 4 g fat, 20 mg cholesterol and 90 mg sodium each.

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Today's Food

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PINEAPPLE CRANBERRY CHEESECAKE

1 cup plain dry bread crumbs
¼ cup brown sugar
⅓ cup butter or margarine, melted
2 pkg. (8 oz. each) cream cheese, softened
2 eggs
¾ cup sugar
1 can (8 oz.) crushed pineapple, drained
1 can (16 oz.) whole berry cranberry sauce

Preheat oven to 350°.

In medium bowl, combine bread crumbs and brown sugar. Stir in butter. Mix well. Press into 9-inch pie plate.

In large bowl, combine cream cheese, eggs and sugar. Beat on high speed of electric mixer 2 minutes. Fold in crushed pineapple.

Pour half the cheese mixture into prepared crust. Spoon 1 cup cranberry sauce over cheese layer. Pour remaining cheese mixture over cranberry layer.

Bake in preheated oven 40 to 45 minutes until edges are light golden brown.

Cool completely on wire rack. Refrigerate at least 4 hours or overnight until chilled.

Garnish with remaining cranberry sauce.

Makes 8 servings.

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PANCAKE WARMER

Warm ½ cup regular or reduced-calorie pancake syrup, ⅓ cup chopped pecans and ¼ teaspoon vanilla; or ½ cup syrup, ½ cup chopped apple and ¼ teaspoon cinnamon. To heat on stovetop, use small pan over low heat and stir occasionally; in a microwave oven, warm in glass cup on high power 30 to 40 seconds.

As a treat for kids, stir ½ cup pancake syrup into 2 tablespoons peanut butter and heat through. One-third cup finely chopped banana can be added just before serving.

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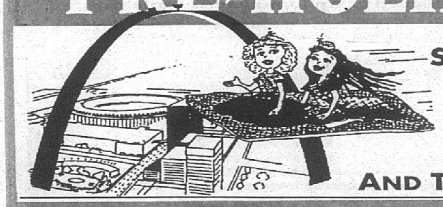
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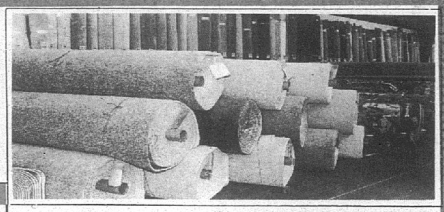
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- 1 tbsp. sugar
- 1 thin slice onion
- Pinch pepper
- 2 tbsp. butter or margarine
- 1 tsp. salt
- Pinch garlic powder

In 2-cup microwave-safe bowl or cup, microwave milk on high power 2 minutes.

In blender, process tomatoes, flour, sugar, onion, pepper, butter, salt and garlic until smooth. Add to milk. Microwave, covered, on high power 2 minutes, stirring every 2 minutes.

Yields 4 servings.

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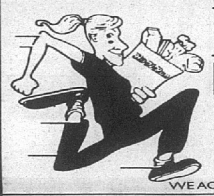
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Today's Food

Vegetables, meat add up to 'roast' of savory sort

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A beef ribeye roast is a perfect solution for a fuss-free, festive dinner. Three easy steps make it simple to prepare:

1. Preheat the oven to the proper temperature.

2. Place the roast in the oven on a rack in a shallow roasting pan. Leave it uncovered. No basting or cooking liquid is necessary because the meat's natural juices keep it moist and delicious.

3. Roast for the time specified to reach desired doneness. With the roast on a carving board, cover it loosely with aluminum foil and let it stand 15 minutes. It is ready to be carved and served.

Roasted Ribeye and Root Vegetables expands the ease of entertaining. Season the roast and vegetables with a flavorful mixture of garlic, dried thyme and black pepper. Cook the vegetables right along with the roast during the last hour. Add fresh flavors, like a little thyme, garlic and basil, to purchased gravy to make a savory and simple sauce for the duo.

Knowing when any beef roast is done is not guesswork; but a thermometer helps. Determine the doneness preferred and remove the roast from the oven when the thermometer inserted in the center of the meat registers 10° below the desired doneness. For medium rare, the recommended optimum temperature is 145°, so remove it from the oven when the thermometer registers 135°.

Always let the roast stand. While it stands, its temperature not only rises to the desired doneness, but juices redistribute throughout the roast, making it easier to carve.

While the roast cooks, there is plenty of time to prepare the rest of the meal.

Perhaps it could begin with earthy mushroom soup and olive bread from a bakery, and finish with decadent chocolate-caramel cake.

ROASTED RIBEYE AND ROOT VEGETABLES

- 4 to 6 lb. well-trimmed ribeye roast, small end
- 2 tbsp. olive oil
- 1 tsp. salt
- 2 lb. small new potatoes, halved
- 1 pkg. (16 oz.) baby carrots
- 2 medium onions, cut in wedges 1 inch thick
- 4 large cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 tsp. leaf thyme
- 1½ tsp. cracked black pepper

Preheat oven to 350°.

Combine garlic, thyme and pepper. Press half the mixture evenly into surface of beef. Add oil and salt to remaining seasoning mixture.

Place roast fat-side up on rack in shallow roasting pan.

Insert ovenproof meat thermometer so tip is centered in thickest part, not resting in fat.

Do not add water or cover. Roast in preheated oven 1¾ to 2 hours for medium rare, 2 to 2½ hours for medium doneness.

In large bowl, toss potatoes, carrots and onions with reserved seasoning mixture to coat.

Arrange vegetables on 15-by-10-inch jellyroll pan. During last 60 minutes of roasting beef, put vegetables in oven.

Remove roast to carving board when meat thermometer registers 135° for medium rare, 150° for medium. Increase oven temperature to 450°.

Continue roasting vegetables 15 minutes or until tender and lightly browned, stirring once.

While vegetables cook, temperature of roast continues to rise 10° to reach desired doneness.

Slice roast. Serve with vegetables.

Makes 6 to 8 servings; 623 calories, 56 g protein, 38 g carbohydrate, 26 g fat, 556 mg sodium and 147 mg cholesterol each, based on 6 servings.

MULLED CRANBERRY PUNCH

Place 1 tub cranberry soft drink mix, 5 whole cloves and 1 stick cinnamon in large heatproof, non-metal bowl or pitcher. Add 6 cups boiling water. Stir to dissolve. Add 2 cups apple juice. Let stand 10 minutes.

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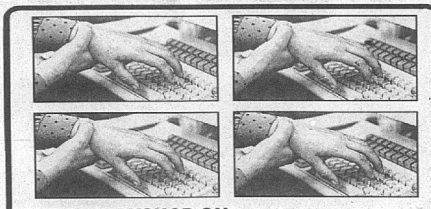
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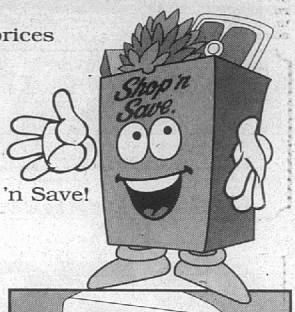

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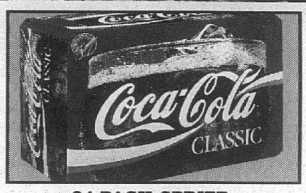
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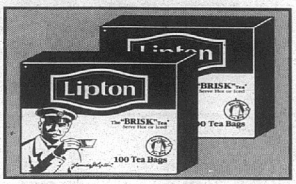




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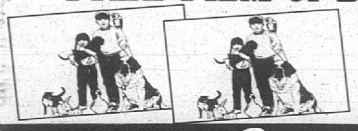
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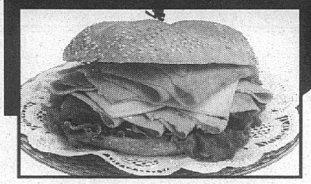
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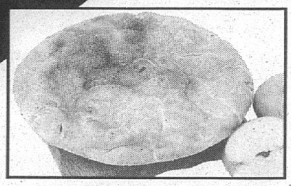
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2/$3

MESQUITE
Jennie-O Turkey Breast **499** lb.

ITALIAN ROAST BEEF, CORNED BEEF, PASTRAMI OR
Swift Roast Beef **399** lb.

Fresh Baked Sub Buns..... **99¢** 4-CT. PKG.

CHERRY, APPLE, OR CHEESE
Fat Free Strudel **299** 16-OZ. PKG.

Farm Fresh Catfish Fillets.... **399** lb.

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Golden Dip Tartar Sauce..... **159** 8-OZ.

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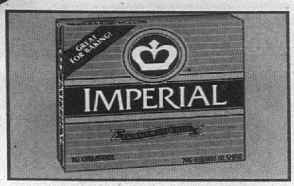
ASSORTED VARIETIES
Patio Burritos
3/$1
5-OZ. PKG.



ASSORTED VARIETIES
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79¢
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49¢
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ASSORTED VARIETIES
LEAN & TASTY
Michelina's Entrees..... 99¢ 8-10 OZ. PKG.

FROZEN
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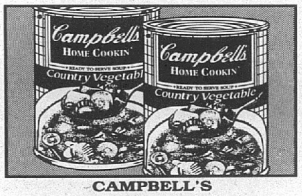
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Tropicana Chilled Juices... 2/$4 64-OZ. CTN.

MOZZARELLA, TACO, OR CHEDDAR
Sargento Shredded Cheese 1.89 8-OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Yoplait Yogurt..... 2/$3 6-PK.

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Jack's Pizza..... 3/7.99 15-21 OZ. PKG.

Grocery Dept. Values



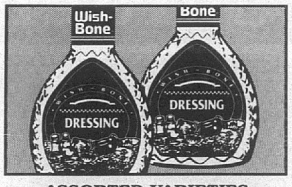
CAMPBELL'S
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FIESTA, ITALIAN VEG. MUSHROOM RICE, COUNTRY VEG. GARDEN TOMATO, HEARTY LENTIL OR POT ROAST GARLIC



BEEF OR CHICKEN
Swanson Broth
2/$1 14.5-OZ. CAN



ASSORTED VARIETIES
Franco American Gravy
2/$1 10.25-10.5 OZ. CAN



ASSORTED VARIETIES
Wishbone Salad Dressing
2/$4 16-OZ. BTL.

SELECTED VARIETIES
CAMPBELL'S
Home Cookin Soup..... 3/3.88 19-OZ. CAN

SELECTED VARIETIES
ROYAL GOURMET
8 O'Clock Whole Bean Coffee..... 4.89 12-OZ. PKG.

KOSHER DILL OR BREAD & BUTTER
Vlasic Stackers Pickles..... 2/$5 24-OZ. JAR

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Mrs. Cubbison's Croutons..... 99¢ 5-6 OZ. PKG.



SPAGHETTI SAUCE OR CHILI
Lawry's Seasoning Mix 2/1.09 1.5-1.56 OZ. ENV.

Equal Sweetener Packets..... 2/$5 100-CT. PKG.



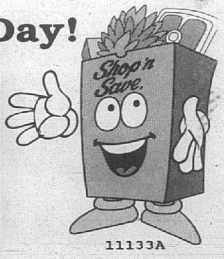
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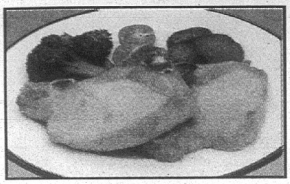


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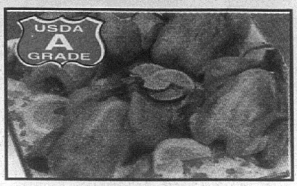
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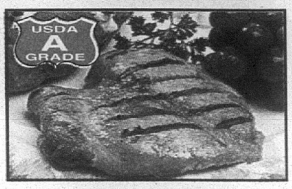
RIB OR LOIN END
Pork Loin Roast
159 lb.



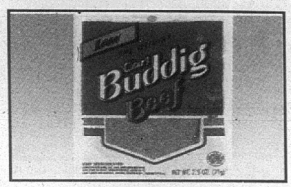
FAMILY PACK
Center Cut Rib Pork Chops
259 lb.



GRADE "A"
Tyson Cornish Hens
159 20-OZ. PKG.



CHUBBY CHICKEN
Boneless Skinless Chicken Breast
239 lb.



ASSORTED VARIETIES, WAFER THIN
Buddig Sliced Meats
39¢ 2.5-OZ. PKG.

Farmland Sliced Bacon.... **2.19** 1-LB. PKG.

ALL MEAT
Eckrich Jumbo Franks **2/$3** 1-LB. PKG.

ALL VARIETIES
Eckrich Smoked Sausage **1.99** 1-LB. PKG.

COOKED SALAMI OR
Hunter Sliced Bologna **1.29** 1-LB. PKG.

Jimmy Dean Pork Sausage **2.19** 1-LB. ROLL

50-70 COUNT
Singleton Cooked Cocktail Shrimp **5.99** 12-OZ. PKG.

R.B. Rice Pork Sausage..... **1.39** 10-OZ. PKG.

Jennie-O Ground Turkey **89¢** 1-LB. ROLL

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Oscar Mayer Lunchables..... **4/$5** 4.5-OZ. PKG.

Louis Rich Turkey Franks **99¢** 1-LB. PKG.

TURKEY
Louis Rich Smoked Sausage **1.59** 14-OZ. PKG.

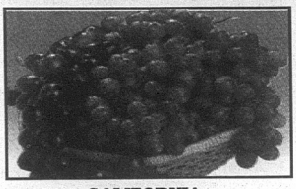
Center Cut Rack of Pork..... **2.59** lb.

RACK OF PORK
THE NEXT TRADITION

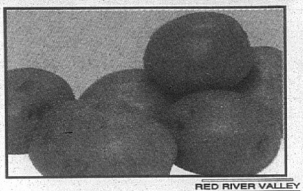
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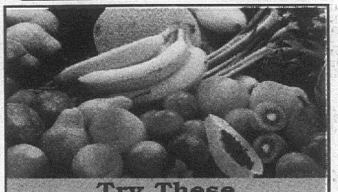
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Medium Yellow Onions.. **98¢** 3-LB. BAG

Birds Eye Veggie Dips..... **1.98** 16-OZ. CTN.

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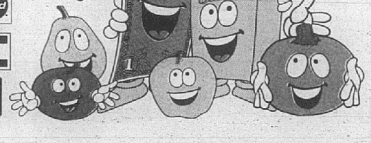
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Tips about setting up computer work area

Whether you're setting up a computer work area just for the kids or for the whole family, here are some tips:

✓ Before you shop, measure and draw a plan of the space you have earmarked for a home office and computer center, marking the location of windows, doors, electric and phone outlets.

Take measurements of the home office equipment you already have. For more room for future purchases, consider buying a little more shelving and surface space than you need now.

Make a list of the activities to be accommodated in the space and the amount of storage needed. Do you need more than the average amount of working surface? A normal working surface is a space as wide as your fully outstretched arms.

Those who need more space than this should think about having a table or desk in addition to the one that holds the computer equipment. Possible choices are a desk with a right or left L, U-return or, if there is room to accommodate it, a second table or desk. The surface that holds the keyboard should be about three inches below standard desk height.

You'll need a printer stand with a slotted shelf if you use continuous-feed paper. If you want files handy, choose a desk with an attached file cabinet or one with a rolling file pedestal.

If you will be storing files and books and other publications, measure the number of linear feet needed to accommodate the materials you want to store and add a bit more space for future needs.

✓ Protect your health by evaluating the furnishings. Can you adjust the seat of the desk chair so the feet comfortably touch the floor? Can you adjust back height? Does the chair tilt? Do arms allow you to get close to your work surface? Does the pedestal base have five prongs for maximum stability? Do casters glide in all directions?

Adequate lighting will minimize the chances of eye strain. Make sure that there is no glare on the screen but that the desktop used for reading and writing is well lighted.

Arrange the space. Wall-mounted accessories such as pencil cups, diskette holders and a bulletin board will clear desktop space for computers and peripherals, suggests Herman Miller. A hutch top for storing paper and other supplies, computer manuals and diskettes is another way of making good use of vertical space.

So that the work space doesn't detract from your home's atmosphere, choose desks and cabinets that match other furniture and line up neatly, says Bernice Wollman, vice president of Workbench. For more flexibility, consider purchasing modular storage furniture so that you can add to it in the future.

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Helpful books for improvements

First, build a shelf for your home and home improvement books. Consider these titles for filling:

✓ "The Family Handyman Helpful Hints" (Reader's Digest, $25 hardcover) is like a first-aid kit for the house, yard and car. It includes tips about painting, wallpapering, drywall installation, fixing squeaky floors, heating and cooling, and dozens of other maintenance projects.

✓ Also from Reader's Digest is "How a House Works" ($14.95 paperback) by Duane Johnson. This overview of the systems in your house tells you how to determine if something's wrong, how to find it and how keep it in repair.

✓ Many quality homes these days are built in factories. "Manufactured Houses: Finding and Buying Your Dream Home for Less" (Real Estate Education Company, $14.95) by A.M. Watkins covers the range of houses available, the procedures, the pitfalls and the savings you can realize over the standard stick-built home.

✓ Knowing the ropes about home inspections can save costly headaches for buyers, sellers, or those who just want to keep their current homes fit. "The Home Inspection Troubleshooter" (Real Estate Education Company, $14.95) by Robert Irwin tells what to look for and where.

✓ The updated "New Basics" series from Sunset Books ($9.99 each) offers titles for six home improvement and repair projects: carpentry, home repairs, home wiring, masonry, plumbing, and woodworking. Included are lists of necessary tools for each project, glossaries and trouble-shooting guides.

✓ "Docks and Projects" (Cottage Life, $24.95 paperback) is full of practical and intriguing do-it-yourself projects, including building a boat dock, hand-carving a canoe paddle, making deck furniture, making a hammock, building wooden steps, erecting a flagpole or building a house for bats.

✓ "Kids' Furniture You Can Build" (Chapters, $17.95 paperback) by David and Jeanie Stiles gives you information and schematic plans for projects like a crib, loft bed, child's art desk, storage bench, computer centers, play kitchens, tables, work benches and other furnishings for youngsters.

✓ "Summer Furniture" (Camden House, $18.95 paperback) by Tom Carpenter shows you how to build outdoor furniture such as harvest table, benches, stands and chair sets, plant stands and even a bike stand.

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Think fluorescent when it comes to remodeling jobs, not the bulbs

Think fluorescent when remodeling jobs include new lighting, advises Naomi Miller, a designer with the Lighting Research Center at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

The bulbs last five to 10 times longer and are three to six times more energy efficient, she says.

If you don't like fluorescents because you think they make things look pasty, reconsider. Miller points out that new versions of the phosphor-coated bulbs are warm in color and render colors accurately. Look for rating markings that specify "3000K, CRI of 75" or higher. Avoid bulbs called "cool white," "warm white," or "daylight."

Four-foot fluorescent tubes are the least expensive and most efficient bulbs for home, and the best are the new T8 bulbs which are only an inch in diameter, Miller says. When buying, ask for the fixture to be supplied with an electronic ballast to eliminate audible hums or annoying flickers.

These bulbs can be mounted on top of kitchen cabinets for soft, indirect light, or under the cabinets, for work tasks. The bulbs also can be concealed behind window valances in other rooms, providing glare-free lighting for reading and other activities. And fluorescent fixtures with diffuse glass or acrylic covers are suitable for mounting over bathroom mirrors.

Compact fluorescents — the ones with two or four small tubes — are found in wall-sconce, downlight and ceiling-mount light fixtures. To figure your needs, divide the wattage number you'd use for incandescent fixtures by three. A 25-watt compact fluorescent can replace a 75-watt incandescent, for example.

When replacing bulbs in incandescent fixtures, choose halogen types that are at least 10 percent more efficient and last several times longer, Miller says.

If you're installing track lights, use "halogen PAR" bulbs. They concentrate more light in the center of the light beam so you can get the same amount of light with lower wattage. Halogen light is whiter than standard incandescent and is good for bringing out colors of fabrics and finishes, Miller says.

Do your children — or maybe you — forget to turn out the lights when leaving a room? Miller suggests you replace your wall switches with "occupancy sensors," which operate like standard switches but automatically shut off if no motion is detected in the room for several minutes.

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The Lighting Research Center has a manual, The Lighting Pattern Book for Homes," with information about design, cost and other aspects of creating well-lit rooms at home. It's available by mail ($53, which includes priority mail) from the Lighting Research Center, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y. 12180-3580.

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Movie schedules

Film timetable for Wednesday, Nov. 13.. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

ALTON CINE
2640 Clair St., 462-1131
Sleepers (R) 4:45, 7:30
Set-It Off (R) 5:00, 7:45

AVALON
4225 S. Kingshighway, 352-2324
Independence Day (PG-13) 4:00
Phenomenon (PG) 7:00
Escape From LA (R) 9:30

CHESTERFIELD
595 Chesterfield Mall, 532-0155
High School High (PG-13) 5:50, 7:50
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 5:35, 8:00
That Thing You Do (PG) 5:45, 8:05
The Associate (PG-13) 5:30, 7:55

CLARKSON 6 CINE
1785 Clarkson Road, 822-4900
Larger Than Life (PG) 1:40, 5:30, 7:30
Ransom (R) 1:30, 5:20, 8:20
First Wives Club (PG) 1:40, 5:15, 7:40
Sleepers (R) 1:00, 5:00, 8:00
Dear God (PG) 1:20, 5:40, 8:30
Romeo & Juliet (PG-13) 1:10, 5:10, 8:10

CARMIKE PETITE
I-70 and Hwy. 157, Collinsville, 344-1708
Ransom (R) 7:00, 9:20
Larger Than Life (PG) 7:10, 9:10
Fly Away Home (PG) 7:00
Dear God (PG) 9:15
High School High (PG-13) 7:00, 9:00

CRESTWOOD PLAZA 10
248 Crestwood Plaza, 968-8500
Fly Away Home (PG) 1:35, 5:30
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 8:00
Ransom (R) 1:00, 4:45, 7:15, 9:40
Ransom (R) 2:00, 5:35, 8:10
Larger Than Life (PG) 1:15, 5:15, 7:30, 9:30
Michael Collins (R) 1:20, 5:20, 8:05
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 2:00, 5:50
Big Night (R) 8:25
Set It Off (R) 1:45, 5:40, 8:20
Romeo & Juliet (PG-13) 1:40, 5:45, 8:15
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:30, 5:30
To Gillian On Her 37th Birthday (PG-13) 8:00
Leopard Son (G) 1:50, 5:55, 8:30

CREVE COEUR CINE
10570 Old Olive Street Road, 822-4900
Ransom (R) 5:15, 7:30
Dear God (PG) 5:30, 7:45
Larger Than Life (PG) 5:45, 8:00

CROSS KEYS CINEMA
110 Cross Keys Shopping Center
Lindbargh & New Halls Ferry, 921-8999
Harriet The Spy (PG) 4:45
Phenomenon (PG) 6:30
A Time To Kill (R) 9:00
The Hunchback Of Notre Dame (G) 4:45
A Very Brady Sequel (PG-13) 6:45
Independence Day (PG-13) 8:45

DES PERES 14 CINE
Manchester & I-270, 822-4900
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 12:15, 2:40
Bad Moon (R) 5:05
Thinner (R) 7:15, 9:30
Michael Collins (R) 12:45, 4:10, 7:05, 10:05
The Associate (PG-13) 11:45, 2:15, 7:35, 9:55
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High School High (PG-13) 12:20, 2:20, 4:45, 6:45, 9:00
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 12:50, 5:05, 10:10
Set It Off (R) 1:00, 4:15, 6:50, 9:20

EASTGATE CINE
Eastgate Plaza, E. Alton, 254-5289
Dear God (PG) 4:00, 6:45
The Associate (PG-13) 4:45, 7:15
Fly Away Home (PG) 5:00
High School High (PG-13) 7:30
Romeo & Juliet (PG-13) 4:30, 7:15
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 5:00, 7:45
Ransom (R) 4:15, 7:00

COTTONWOOD EDWARDSVILLE CINEMA
Edwardsville, Ill.
That Thing Yo Do (PG) 4:15, 6:45, 9:30
First Wives Club (PG) 4:45, 7:30, 9:50
Ransom (R) 4:00, 7:00, 10:00

ESQUIRE CINE
6706 Clayton Road, 781-3300
Long Kiss Goodnight (R) 1:30, 5:15, 7:45, 10:20
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Sleepers (R) 1:05, 5:30, 8:30
Fly Away Home (PG) 1:40, 5:35
Get On The Bus (R) 7:50, 10:25

EUREKA 6 CINE
99 Hilltop Village Center, 822-4900
Larger Than Life (PG) 5:20, 7:45
The Ghost And The Darkness (R) 5:30, 8:00
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GALLERIA 6
30 St. Louis Galleria, 721-8722
Romeo & Juliet (PG-13) 1:50, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00
Thinner (R) 2:00, 5:35, 9:50
The Associate (PG-13) 5:30, 8:00, 10:20
That Thing You Do (PG) 1:55, 7:50, 10:05
Michael Collins (R) 1:30, 4:20, 9:55
Ghost & The Darkness (R) 1:35, 5:40, 7:55, 10:10

HALLS FERRY 14 CINE
2600 Target Drive, 822-4900
Set It Off (R) 1:00, 5:45, 8:30
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Thinner (R) 1:25, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

KELLER PLAZA 8 CINE
Lemay Ferry & Mehl Avenue, 822-4900
D3: The Mighty Ducks (PG) 2:30, 4:45, 7:20, 9:35
Larger Than Life (PG) 3:05, 5:10, 7:15, 9:15
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KIRKWOOD CINEMA
338 S. Kirkwood Road, 965-1161
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Fly Away Home (PG) 4:45
Emma (R) 6:40
Bound (R) 9:00

LINCOLN THEATER
103 E. Main (Belleville), 233-0123
Independence Day (PG-13) 7:15
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LINDBERGH 8
7545 S. Lindbergh, 487-0017
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NAMEOKI CINEMA
30 Nameoki Village, 877-8630
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NORTHWEST SQUARE 10
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The Chamber (R)
Sleepers (R)
Sleepers (R)
High School High (PG-13)
High School High (PG-13)
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Ghost And The Darkness (R)
That Thing You Do (PG)
Fly Away Home (PG)
Bad Moon (R) Check theater for times

PLAZA CINE 4
Troy, Mo., 528-2070
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Sleepers (R) 5:00, 8:15

REGENCY SQUARE 8
1095 Regency Parkway, 946-8000
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RITZ 3 THEATER
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RONNIE'S 8 CINE
Lindbergh & Baptist Church Road, 822-4900
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ROXANA CINE THEATER
Roxana, Ill., 254-6746
That Thing You Do (PG) 7:00

ST. ANDREWS CINEMA
2025 Golfway Drive, 947-1133
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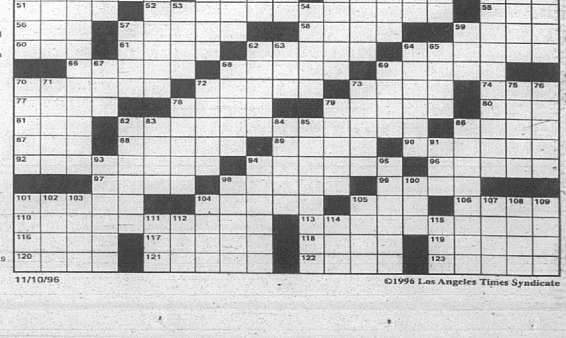
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49 — girl: Brinkley, e.g.
50 Dig in!
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55 Focal starter
56 Basking result
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58 Executed Canadian rebel leader
59 Ending for mob or gang
60 Fast flyer
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69 "ET, — home"
70 Exact satisfaction
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79 Bolo of "Full House"
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89 Author of "Primary Colors," for short
90 Overflowed
92 She "ain't what she used to be"
94 Native
96 Author Ayn and family
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122 French religious abbrs.
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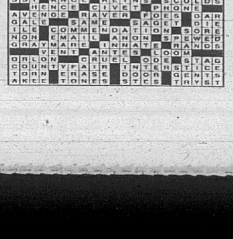
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2 Director/author Kazan
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11 — Royce
12 Sticky stuff
13 Hooray, the Spanish way
14 High hill
15 Convent superior
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41 Elsewhere
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53 Competition
54 Judge
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59 Cain was the first
62 Torn apart
63 An Andes
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70 Becoming less green
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112 To's partner
114 "Wayne's World" word
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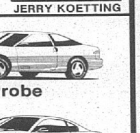
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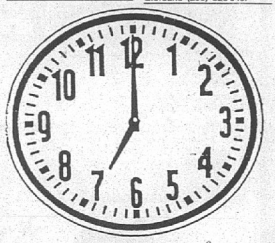
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(Section 10-17 of the School Code)**

GRANITE CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT #9
1947 ADAMS STREET, GRANITE CITY IL 62040
SIZE OF DISTRICT IN SQUARE MILES—53 (approx.)
NUMBER OF ATTENDANCE CENTERS —12
NUMBER OF CERTIFIED EMPLOYEES—
FULL—TIME—457 PART-TIME—92
NUMBER OF NON-CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES—
FULL-TIME—228 PART-TIME—156
AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE—7,447
NUMBER OF PUPILS ENROLLED PER GRADE
Pre-Kindergarten—120 Kindergarten—692
First—710 Second—622 Third—654
Fourth—608 Fifth—619 Sixth—564
Seventh—604 Eighth—617 Special—178
Total Elementary—5988
Ninth—579 Tenth—524 Eleventh—584
Twelfth—428 Special—273
Total Secondary—2388
Total in District—8376
TAX RATE BY FUND (IN %)***
Educational—2.5500%
Operations and Maintenance—.5000%
Bond and Interest—.3256%
Transportation—.2000%
Municipal Retirement—.1941%
Social Security—.1142%
Fire Prevention and Safety—.0500%
Tort Immunity—.1885%
Special Education—.0400%
DISTRICT ASSESSED VALUATION—$320,050,927
ASSESSED VALUATION PER A.D.A.
PUPIL—$42,977.16
TOTAL BONDED INDEBTEDNESS
June 30, 1996—$13,420,000
PERCENT OF BONDING POWER
OBLIGATED CURRENTLY—30.6%

*Based Upon the Illinois Program Accounting Manual for Local Education Agencies
**When publishing this report in the newspaper, type requirements must be in accordance with 715ILCS 15/1.
***Example: If the tax rate for educational purposes is $1.84 per $100 of EAV, it is shown at 1.84%.

Assets	Value Of Capital Assets	Basis Of Valuation Used
Land	229,667	Cost
Buildings	15,958,008	Cost
Equipment	6,424,400	Cost

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Aaron, Gary D.
Adams, Robert C.
Anderson, Randall
Anderson, Susan M.
Andrews, Kenneth D.
Astorian, Craig J.
Barnhart, Allen R.
Beasley, Michael
Bilbrey, Barbara J.
Briggs, Ronald A.
Brimm, Charles D.
Brooks, Hoyal S.
Candler, Thomas
Cunningham, Cynthia L.
Curtis, Alfred E.
Dahmm Danny J.
Davis, Gerald
Davis, Michael D.
Dickerson, Barbara
Finazzo, Linda S.
Fisher, Ronald
Georgeff, Georganne M.
Grote, Betty J.
Guenther, Lela M.
Harris, Gary L.
Harrison, William J.
Heth, Kathleen M.
Hill, Roy P.
Holder, Priscilla M.
Hopke, Monte K.
Huffstutler, Todd D.
Kessler, David W.
Kipp, John D.
Kraus, Jeffrey A.
Lakin, Larry
Lloyd, Donald E.
Martinez, Kathy L.
McBee, Kevin S.
McFalls, Gary E.
Merz, John A.
Merz, Richard D.
Millanis, Berta A.
Mitchell, Zoe E.
Mitchell, Sr. Kenneth R.
Moore, Jane E.
Moske, James R.
Murphy, Michael J.
Nikonovich, Steve E.
Padgett, Don M.
Page, Wanda
Parker, Dale L.
Reeves, Coy A.
Reeves, Leonard J.
Robbins, William J.
Rosales, Nancy A.
Schreiber, Barbara A.
Short, Jr. Louis A.
Smith, Harrell G.
Sparks, James R.
Swanson, Donna S.
Taylor, Harold
Tingley, Frances
Webb, Jerry
Webb, Kathleen M.
Williams, Rodney
Wilson, Richard
Woods, Lois J
Zukas, Gladys M.

NON-CERTIFIED EMPLOYEES (40,000-AND ABOVE)
Adams, Gregory S.
Bamper, Walter F.
Becerra, Alma J.
Bell, Pauletta M.
Dickerson, James J.
Dowdy, Luther T.
Earney, Brian D.
Evenson, Robert B.
Gegous, Teddy D.
Hell Jr., William N.
Munger, Daryl P.
O'Brian, James E.
Ortolan, Eugene D.
Pinkley, Howard B.
Szedlar, R.K.
Weeks, Gregory

SUBSTITUTES
Ackerman, Emery E.
Adams, Pamela
Allen, Dana L.
Amisch, Margaret M.
Andrews, Kimberly D.
Angle, Kathleen M.
Arnold, Blanca
Arnold, Kathy
Astor, Ruth A.
Atkinson, Janice F.
Aubuschon, Cynthia L.
Ault, Richard R.
Badgett, Barbara J.
Bailey, Nathan L.
Balen, Connie L.
Balsai, Stephen M.
Barker, Deloris L.
Barker, Mary J.
Barker, Ralph E.
Barnhart, Jeffrey A.
Barr, Amanda R.
Baugh, Sallie M.
Becherer, Sally
Belles, Victoria L.
Bellman, Brian,
Bellman, Linda
Benoit, Jennifer
Biggs, Sheryl L.
Bilich, JOhn A.
Bisto, Sandra K.
Blackford, Virginia A.
Blattner, Judith
Bodnam B.E.
Bolin, Frances
Bone, Jeanette
Boyd, Ann M.
Boyd, Janice R.
Boyd, Timothy M.
Brandon, Sandra L.
Braundmeier, Kyle
Brennan, Kevin M.
Briggs, Teresa M.
Brinkhoff, Patricia E.
Brinkhoff, William R.
Britton, Bonnie R.
Bryan, Larry D.
Buchanan, Debra L.
Buenger, Carlene
Burns, Robert W.
Burns, Timothy P.
Byrd, Shirley A.
Calvert, Susan M.
Canada, Robert L.
Caril, Cynthia
Carr, June L.
Carter, Carolyn
Cavins, Kim M.
Champion, Conrad L.
Champion, Rebecca L.
Chestnut, Donna E.
Chronister, Rex E.
Clark, Marilyn R.
Clarke, Jean
Cline, Judith L.
Cochran, George E.
Cochran, Nannette S.
Connolly, Nancy J.
Conrad, Karen M.
Cook, Elizabeth A.
Copeland, Barbara J.
Copeland, Pamela
Copper, Teresa M.
Cotter, Jeanne R.
Crawford, Cari A.
Dacus, Mabel L.
Dandridge, Tisha Y.
Darnell, RAchel L.
David, Debra J.
Dean, Johnna M.
Dillard, Ronald L.
Dombek, Susan M.
Donaldson, Shannon
Donohue, Jason S.
Downs, Jennifer
Doyle, Marianne M.
Drennan, Victoria
Drury, Shirley
Dumont, Betty A.
Durden, Jackie L.
Earon, Darla D.
Edwards, Lloyd L.
Ennis, Jacquelyn L.
Falter, Laura
Ferrari, Patrick
Ferry, Ronald D.
Fester, Mary J.
Fields, Christy L.
Fitchett, Patricia M.
Flynn, Cherry L.
Fogelman, Theresa A.
Forrester, Tammy A.
Frazier, Diane M.
Frutiger, Craig L.
Fuller, Paula
Gaines, Cathy D.
Gassett, Christina L.
Gatheman, Richard A.
Gendron, Carol
Gergen, Sharon
Gerkin, Pat
Geroff, Rosemary E.
Gibson, Giovana I.
Glasgow, Ronald F.
Goedeke, Susan L.
Gonwa, Patricia M.
Goodman, Carolina S.
Graham, Ruth A.
Gray, Yvonne M.
Gray, Jr. Donald
Green, Beverly J.
Green, Kelly A.
Gregory, Katherine M.
Griffin, Kimberly S.
Griffin, Leisa R.
Griffith, Amy L.
Griffith, Rosemarie E.
Gutterrez, Kelly L.
Hall, Susan A.
Hamann, Brandy D.
Hansen, John F.
Harbian, Deborah L.
Hare, Marsha K.
Harned, Sherrie J.
Harper, Gloria J.
Harper, Sally
Harris, Kathleen C.
Harris, Margaret E.
Harsh, James R.
Harshany, Brian J.
Hartwick, Sandra L.
Hawkins, Deana R.
Hayes, Elizabeth P.
Hayes, Todd C.
Headrick, John W.
Hellrich, Joyce E.
Helsel, Paula
Heuer, Paulette K.
Hinterser, Robin Y.
Holbrook, Katherine P.
Horn, Cheryl J.
Houston, Barbara L.
Huber, Sarah J.
Hudson, Mary L.
Hunter, Karen J.
Hutchings, John L.
Isaak, James M.
Johnson, Angela M.
Johnson, Cynthia L.
Johnson, Lisa E.
Johnson, Milton E.
Johnson, Phillip W.
Johnson, Robert L.
Jones, Christophe L.
Jones, Joyce E.
Jones, Merri
Joyce, Gail S.
Kamphoefner, Wanda L.
Keck, Randall S.
Keiting, Eugene C.
Kessel, Steve
Kincy, Lea A.
Knight, Dorina K.
Koenig, Connie M.
Kopsky, Sondra A.
Kostoff, Donna M.
Kusmierczak, James J.
Lancaster, Pamela A.
Larner, Dorothy K.
Lathrop, Ruth A.
Leith, Janet V.
Lemler, Lavonne G.
Lesko, Norma L.
Lewis Jr., Albert S.
Lignoul, Joyce I.
Lorentz, Robert
Luehmann, Patricia S.
Mahan, Jr. Alfred M.
Maier, Shurnette G.
Mance, Michele
Manion, Brandi N.
Manis, Tom L.
Marshall, Deborah
Martinez, Richard
Maxey, Patricia A.
Mayes, Margaret L.
McBride, Susan M.
McCaslin, Shawn
McGee, Donna
McMillian, Debra
Measki, Sandra M.
Merz, Julie A.
Merz, Sharon
Messina, Lori M.
Meyer, Carolyn S.
Michaeloff, Patricia
Miller, Bryan A.
Miller, Kalani L.
Mills, Judith A.
Mitchell, Ann M.
Mitchell, Phyllis V.
Moad, John
Mojzis, Rita R.
Monroe, Michelle R.
Moore, Patricia A.
Morris, Robert J.
Moss, Jeffrey A.
Mudd, Valerie D.
Nasir, Melinda D.
Nasir, Peter G.
Nault, Cynthia
Neeley, Elizabeth A.
Nemeth, Michael D.
Nesbit, Laura
Nichols, Daniel E.
Niepert, Diana L.
Nobus, Linda M.
Noffsinger, Benjamin E.
Nunes, Leslie J.
O'Bear, Deborah S.
O'Brian, Ron G.
Oakes, Rosa G.
Pabst, Ellen
Palmer, Mary
Papp, Charles A.
Parish, Clinta L.
Parker, Jennifer S.
Parker, John G.
Patton, Sarah
Pfroender, Gary
Polach, Tracy M.
Pritchard, Kimberly G.
Rainer, Nancy L.
Ralston, Cory
Reiter, Bonnie L.
Richards, Charles N.
Rideout, Tammi L.
Ridgeway, Kelly
Roberts, Eveline
Robinson, Kimberly
Rocha, Robert J.
Rogers, Pamela G.
Rosales, David J.
Roth, Christie E.
Rumpf, Karen A.
Samuel, Robert J.
Sanscucie, Patricia A.
Sarich, Vicky A.
Schmidt, Glenda S.
Schmisseur, Helen M.
Schneider, John
Schoen, Sterling J.
Schooley, William W.
Schroeder, Norma J.
Sebastian, Vicki G.
Sedej, Rhonda K.
Shaw, Terri K.
Shepherd, Barbara K.
Shipley, Shelly
Sich, Ann C.
Sigite, Randall L.
Sikora, Michael
Silva, Raul F.
Singleton, Ricky L.
Skinner, Tomothy
Slone, Dawn M.
Smallman, Eugene L.
Smith, Janet A.
Smith, Patricia A.
Smothers, Terri L.
Snelson, James R.
Spalding, Kenneth E.
Stanton, John
Steffen, Constance L.
Stegemeier, Robert J.
Stenitzer, Christine A.
Stephens, Eddie D.
Stone, Eric V.
Szedlar, William G.
Taylor, JD A.
Taylor, Katie L.
Tedesco, Debra S.
Theis, Sylvia G.
Thomas, Patricia A.
Thweatt, DAniel E.
Toney, Patsy L.
Topal, Karyn L.
Trunnell E.L.
Tsigolaroff, Trina A.
Turner, Julius C.
Turner, Sean R.
Tyler, Pamela A.
Varadian, Jacob
Veach, John D.
Velloff, Michael M.
Voegele, Diana L.
Waldrup, Roger J.
Wanagat, Heather
Ward, Harriet J.
Ward, Paula R.
Warren, Jody L.
Warren, Susan M.
Weidner, Julia M.
Welborn, Dwaine G.
Welborn, Rebecca E.
Wesley, Karen A.
Weston, Melinda K.
Whitaker, Mark J.
White, Tammy
Whitehead, Melanie
Whittington, Ronda K.
Wilkerson, Judy S.
Wilkinson, Joellen
Williams, Camilla M.
Williams, Vicky
Wilson, Jennifer A.
Wilson, Richard F.
Wilson, Tina M.
Winters, Anita M.
Winters, Darlene K.
Wise, Catherine A.
Wojcik, Stanley A.
Woll, Mary E.
Woodard, Kimberly A.
Woodward, Dana M.
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Wright, Judith A.
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PUBLISHED REPORT FOR 7/01/95 TO 6/30/96 OF VENDORS PAID 1,000.00 OR MORE

ADT Security Systems	2,194.58
A.T. & T.	2,827.41
AA Blacktop Paving	45,000.00
AAA Swing City Music	1,852.00
Aalco Wrecking Co., Inc.	11,740.00
AA1/Campbell	20,225.00
ABC School Supply, Inc.	5,214.59
Academy of Beauty Culture	12,037.48
Acetylene Gas Co.	1,030.58
Action Charter Service	12,616.50
Active Parenting Publishers	1,303.42
Adams Medical	1,018.05
Advanced Systems/Peripherals	3,897.95
Aetna Life Ins. & Annuity Co.	2,900.00
AFP School Supply	3,617.60
AFT Local 743 Teachers	135,137.56
Aid Association For Lutherans	4,295.55
Akzo Nobel Salt Inc.	1,177.86
Al's Automotive Supply	4,827.95
Alliant/Kraft Food Service	30,557.02
Am. Bankers Life Assurance Co.	8,604.00
Amer. Natl. Bank/Trust Co/Chi	1,078,723.61
American Academic Suppliers	1,558.65
American Boiler Service, Inc.	4,339.86
American Communications Supply	3,205.27
American Funds Service Co.	41,372.09
American Guidance Service	1,043.85
American United Life Ins. Co.	9,720.00
American Water Treatment Inc.	1,197.70
Ameridata	35,042.42
Ameritech	55,590.85
Ann Jarrett	1,342.01
Apple Computer K-12 Customer	197,251.50
Arlington Golf Course	1,000.00
Arthur J. Gallagher & Co.	25,485.00
Assoc. of IL. Middle-Lev Schools	6,140.00
Award Emblem Mfg. Co., Inc.	1,200.00
B & B Book Supply	3,461.50
B & E Lumber Hardware & Supply	3,426.71
B & L Industria Systems	2,370.74
Barcom Inc.	1,680.00
Barrons	1,629.04
Beckley Candy Group	23,981.39
Belleville Area College	15,101.00
Bensinger's, Inc.	72,583.22
Best Impressions	1,590.72
Best Locking Systems Company	3,607.61
Beverly Fanning	3,241.38
Beverly Scroggins	4,496.17
BFI Waste Systems	1,944.00
Bill Rotter	1,532.34
Billy Jones	4,310.72
Black Magazine Abency	2,510.27
Black's Sport Shop	1,126.83
Board of Educ Imprest Rev. Fund	9,095.63
Bonnie Liebold	9,155.75
Bradburn School Supply	6,865.85
Branding Oil Company	9,599.19
Brandt's Business Centre	3,840.98
Brinker Tractor Sales, Inc	1,659.76
BSN Corporation	4,132.74
BSW Corporation	196,339.74
Building Serv Empl Local 98	37,773.02
Bureau of Education & Research	1,933.00
Buschart Office Prod	1,085.66
Business Equipment Center	6,960.08
Bye-Mo'r, Inc.	2,832.60
C.D. Medical Distributors	1,033.86
Canada Life Assurance Co.	25,169.18
Cannon Sports, Inc.	7,035.59
Cardinal Building Materials	5,300.32
Carter Lumber	2,199.87
Carter Lumber Co.	1,942.00
Casper Stolle Quarry & Contr.	2,869.17
Cassens Leasing	1,857.93
Catholic Children's Home	194,431.63
CC Bell Electronics	1,425.23
Cee-Kay Supply, Inc.	16,574.13
Ceiling Supply	8,483.98
Central Bank	11,917,193.75
Central Restaurant Products	1,878.03
Chapman and Cutler, Law Office	17,500.00
Charles E. Scott Co.	3,546.90
Chemlawn	1,820.80
Child Center of Our Lady/Grace	2,145.00
Childcraft	2,720.48
Children's Ctn. For Behavioral	5,802.24
Children's Home Assoc. of IL	16,248.78
Crist Bros. Asphalt, Inc.	2,860.00
Christy Halbert-Taylor	1,020.16
Cintrex Audio Visual	3,726.74
Circle Brands Office Supply	1,473.20
City of Granite City	50,322.15
City of Granite City/Sewer Onl	7,504.20
Clerk of the Circuit Court	21,949.34
Columbia Business Systems Inc.	5,560.75
Commercial Elec. Motor Serv.	3,779.06
Community Printing	1,517.00
Compos-A-Copy, Inc.	1,956.00
Congressional Quarterly Inc.	1,857.46
Continental Baking Co.	10,504.17
Coolidge Imprest Rev Fund	1,870.48
Coolidge Mid/Schl Athl. Revolv	2,580.00
Cooperating School Dist/Rcet	9,549.04
Coordinated Youth Serv.	747,316.01
Cope	1,146.00
Copying Concepts	24,823.61
Country Life Insurance Co.	7,186.80
Creative Travel Center	3,525.00
Creative Office Sys	5,736.15
Creed Quality Repair Parts	1,046.64
Crescent Parts & Equipment	19,642.77
Crest Visual	1,069.01
Critter Ridder's Pest Control	7,616.00
Cross Patches	2,867.46
CSL Associates	1,100.96
CTB/McGraw-Hill	15,198.41
Curriculum Assoc. Inc.	1,347.17
Curt Smith Sporting Goods	1,847.31
Cynthia Hormell	1,069.00
D & S Hauling, Excavat/Demo	3,700.00
D.E. Heath & Company	45,348.18
Dan Rahn	28,135.00
Darla Huckla	1,393.10
Darold Talley	1,616.69
Datamax Graphic Systems	1,131.37
Dave Croft Leasing Inc.	1,992.50
Davidson Titles Inc.	1,591.16
Delores Scaturro	1,693.80
Denise Hentscher	1,500.00
DFS School & Office Supply	1,882.30
Diamond Data	3,970.00
Dick Blick Co.	3,952.45
Don's Hardware	1,872.29
Doron Precision Systems	6,032.00
Douglas Steward Co.	1,590.00
Duplicating Systems	18,789.64
E. Alton-Wood River Comm. HS	5,231.30
E.S. Edwards & Son, Inc.	5,706.00
East Side Publications Inc.	3,558.77
Edgewood Children's Center	29,174.00
Educational Design, Inc.	3,564.86
Educational Fund #10	1,450,000.00
Educational Marketing Systems	1,423.50
Educational Resources	2,416.46
Egyptian Stationers, Inc.	4,722.50
Elan Publishing Co.	1,206.90
Elizabeth Biermann	1,500.00
Empire/Labor. Locals 100/397	3,450.00
Encyclopaedia Brittanica Educ	1,247.70
Energy Concepts, Inc.	2,903.92
Environments, Inc.	1,514.18
Epworth Children/Family Serv.	5,046.00
Equitable, The	38,212.40
Erb Equipment Co.	2,429.30
ETA	4,357.69
Falcon Technologies	5,019.32
Fed Reserve Bank/Kansas City	19,250.00
Fidelity Investments	23,100.20
Fire Safety Sales & Service	3,176.50
Follett Educational Serv.	2,610.88
Forklifts of St. Louis	1,371.92
Four Seasons Distributing	10,043.21
Franklin Life Insurance Co.	47,004.08
Frey Scientific Co.	1,519.22
Frost Electric Supply Co.	6,412.73
G E Supply Co.	29,700.00
Gateway Audio-Visual, Inc.	1,098.59
Genelco Inc.	208,548.00
General Binding Corp	3,831.49
George Fowler	4,432.35
Gerald McKechan	2,492.62
Gibbens Company	1,240.40
Glidden Paint & Wallcover	2,174.11
Global Business Prod.	2,152.50
Godfrey Bus Lines, Inc.	1,204.95
Goni Michaeloff	3,245.91
Goodheart Willcox Co Inc.	1,902.66
Granite City Glass & Fence	10,784.58
Granite City School of Beauty	8,574.60
Granite City Sewing Center	1,637.70
Grigsby Mid/Schl Athl Revolv	2,755.00
GTE Telecom Marketing	2,276.00
Haag Foods & Poultry, Inc.	133,743.03
Halpin Music Co.	2,227.58
Harbor Freight	1,028.66
Harcourt Brace Jovanovich	9,607.87
Harkers, Inc.	3,034.75
Harper Collins College Publ.	2,398.72
Harrell Smith	1,050.48
Harry A. Briggs, Jr.	39,971.27
Hayden Wrecking Corporation	17,950.00
Health Benefit Trust	1,886,407.28
Hendricks Technology, Inc.	1,785.25
Hester Bradley Co.	2,468.28
High School Imprest Revolving	8,627.23
High School Revolving/Senior	44,021.43
Highsmith Co Inc	1,062.43
Hinds Environmental, Inc.	61,106.87
Homeowners Supply, Inc.	3,158.74
Houghton Mifflin/McDougal	2,010.47
House of Trophies	3,627.65
Houser Automotive	2,572.68
Huff Architectural Group, Inc.	325,896.23
Hyatt Regency/Chicago	2,502.82
I.F.T.	5,391.15
IASCO	3,251.48
IBM Corp.	30,745.34
Icon Mechanical	273,179.77
IDS Financial Services, Inc.	25,336.51
IL Dept of Revenue	6,883.68
IL Director of Employment	1,805.00
Ill Assoc School Boards	10,177.20
Ill Municipal Retirement Fund	1,061,852.67
Illinois American Water Co.	34,952.64
Illinois Center for Autism	151,039.05
Illinois Department of Revenue	94,489.11
Illinois Dept of Employment	3,828.00
Illinois High School Assoc.	1,175.00
Illinois Power Co.	605,425.19
Illinois Resource Center	2,265.00
Industrial Soap Co.	7,034.32
Information Access Co.	2,652.00
Institute For Educ Development	2,000.00
Internal Revenue Service	4,490.78
International Thompson Publ.	8,850.01
Interstate Brands Corp.	9,033.17
Interstate Brands/Butternut	41,991.21
J W Pepper & Son Inc.	1,024.19
Jackson National Life Ins. Co.	2,730.00
James O'Brian	2,169.62
James W. McRoberts	13,276.00
Jerry Lacy, CPA	5,000.00
Jerry's Cafeteria	6,510.03
Jerry's Produce & Dairy	28,909.03
Jill Conoyer	1,350.88
Jim Pagan Masonry Constr.	14,850.00
Joe Wallace	2,063.55
Joint Agreement Fund #12	157,993.38
Josten's Inc.	1,562.90
Juneau Associates, Inc. P.C.	1,475.41
Kamadulski Excavating/Grading	4,246.50
Kaplan's School Supply Corp.	1,359.08
Kappel's Computer Store, Inc.	3,763.99
Karen Kocarnik	1,105.31
Kathy Andria	3,203.44
Kendall Appliance	1,765.00
Kienstra Inc.	3,224.88
Kifco, Inc.	4,295.48
Kirtley Technology Corp.	4,968.75
Klaus Radio, Inc.	6,728.70
Koetting Ford, Inc.	5,336.17
Konica Business Machines	23,923.26
Korte Construction Co.	381,146.85
Kranz Automotive Body Co.	2,086.11
L.J. Technical Service	4,455.00
Lady Baltimore Foods	49,772.46
Laidlaw Transit, Inc.	1,622,215.97
Lakeshore Company Headquarters	1,288.68
Lakeshore Learning Materials	6,325.04
Lambert Subsurface Consultants	3,355.00
Lanter Company	11,955.28
Large Unit District Assoc.	2,450.00
Lawrence Smith & Associates	7,280.00
Learning Services, Inc.	1,134.46
Lee Canter & Assoc.	5,566.47
Lego Dacta	5,429.16
Len's Amoco Service	3,362.30
Leroy's Market	1,104.56
Lincoln National Life Ins. Co.	2,399.59
Lisa Lilly	1,057.23
Litton Enterprises, Inc.	15,140.70
Logan's Marketing	6,168.51
Lone Star Computer Corporation	3,198.00
Longs Electronics	3,693.20
Lutheran Brotherhood	3,825.00
M.J. Environmental	87,437.00
M.L. Vasquez, Inc.	32,778.00
MacMillan McGraw-Hill	12,401.91
MAC Warehouse	6,863.65
Madison County Roe	5,046.00
Madison City Sanitary Sewer	2,097.75
Madison School District #12	77,272.26
Magna Bank	14,404,211.35
Marshall Imprest Revolving	3,607.06
Marshall/Cavendish	1,803.13
Mary Beth Ortbals	1,098.79
Mary Bright	2,823.12
Marygrove	3,364.00
Massachusetts Fin. Service	3,000.00
Mastercard	1,634.96
McGraw Hill, Inc. Glenco Divi	51,102.25
McMurray Music	1,446.00
Media Services, Inc.	1,044.00
Merkels Inc.	11,195.02
Metro Blueprint	1,146.60
Metropolitan Life & Affiliated	10,107.60
Michael Andria	1,004.00
Michael Garland	2,412.84
Michael Murphy	2,976.48
Micro Product Sales, Inc.	6,156.80
Midland Supply Co.	4,695.00
Midwest Model Supply Co.	1,491.18
Midwest Trailer	3,800.00
Miken Computers	1,245.00
Milliken Publishing Co.	6,869.42
Mirex Corporation	1,115.18
Mississippi Valley Inter-	523,156.00
Missouri Mach. & Engineering	3,017.25
Modern School Supplies, Inc.	1,042.70
Momentum Graphics, Inc.	1,340.67
Mona Callis Erspamer	1,248.00
Moore Business Equip/ Service	1,306.00
Moore Medical Corporation	3,405.49
Moore Research Inc.	1,093.62
Morgan Systems, Inc.	4,137.54
Multi-Bank Securities, Inc.	1,222.41
Nasco	8,740.73
National Auto Supply	1,280.93
National Computer Systems	2,928.00
National Health Supply Corp.	1,939.74
National Office/Schl. Supplies	2,800.72
National Sanitary Supply Co.	20,444.03
National School Boards Assoc.	8,104.50
Nationwide Life Insurance Co.	2,400.00
Nationwide Papers	85,320.44
Neff Company	2,148.79
Negwer Materials, Inc.	11,144.77
New System Carpet/Bldg Care	6,277.19
News Bank, Inc.	3,150.25
North American Life Assurance	39,184.12
Northern Life	1,704.00
Nystrom	3,107.16
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Postmaster/Granite City, IL.	28,782.22
Postmaster/Granite City, IL.	7,567.40
Primary Educator	1,036.51
Printers Service & Supply	1,107.34
Providence Occupational Health	18,937.27
Putnam Investor Services	2,573.42
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Specialty Waste Services, Inc.	45,702.30
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St. Elizabeth Medical Center	4,153.36
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St. Louis Post Dispatch	2,562.01
Standard & Poor's Ratings Grp	9,000.00
Standard Stationery Supply	10,524.62
Steve Balen	9,181.77
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Teacher Created Materials, Inc.	1,138.19
Teachers Health Insurance Sec.	375,587.19
Teachers Retirement System	3,334,395.48
Teamsters & Chauff Local 525	1494.00
Templeton Funds Trust Co.	7,865.75
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Tepper Electric Supply Co.	5,636.58
Textbook Recycling, Inc.	1,360.01
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	52,546,294.77

INDIVIDUAL FUND BALANCE SHEETS June 30, 1996

Assets	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Bond and Interest	Transportation	Municipal Retirement/ Social Security	Site and Construction/ Capital Improvement	Working Cash	Fire Prevention and Safety
Current Assets								
Cash	$ 550,580	$ 419	$ 49,177	$ 155,059	$ 39,339	$ 465	$ -	$ 6,637
Taxes Receivable (GAAP)	9,179,677	1,585,941	982,230	688,948	930,315	-	-	160,843
Accounts Receivable (GAAP)	2,637,889	23,387		988,832	48,331			
Loan to Educational Fund	-	204,932		110,033				
Loan to Operations and Maintenance Fund	47,793	-	-	-				-
Loan To Transportation Fund	450,000						500,000	
Inventory	27,419							
Investments	2,788,935	1,582,741	25,500	215,612	327,380	10,859,766	-	311,127
Other Current Assets	1,112,269							
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	$16,844,874	$3,424,839	$1,056,907	$2,138,484	$1,345,365	$10,860,231	$500,000	$468,607

Liabilities And Fund Balance	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Bond and Interest	Transportation	Municipal Retirement/ Social Security	Site and Construction/ Capital Improvement	Working Cash	Fire Prevention and Safety
CURRENT LIABILITIES								
Accrued Liabilities (GAAP)	$ 2,598,833	$ 58,755	$ -	$ 36,203	$ 52,740	$ 716,889	$ -	$ 24,190
Loan from Educational Fund		47,793		450,000				
Loan from Operations and Maintenance Fund	204,932							
Loan from Transportation Fund	110,033							
Loan from Working Cash Fund				500,000				
Payroll Deductions Payable	26,402	25,337		1,434				
Deferred Revenue (Modified Accrual)	8,977,031	1,584,252	1,031,665	633,701	976,850			158,425
Other Current Liabilities	746,050	8,950						
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$12,663,281	$1,725,087	$1,031,665	$1,621,338	$1,029,590	$ 716,889	$ -	$182,615
Reserved Fund Balance	358,711	49,824				7,814,602		
Unreserved Fund Balance	3,822,882	1,649,928	25,242	517,146	315,775	2,328,740	500,000	285,992
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	$16,844,874	$3,424,839	$1,056,907	$2,138,484	$1,345,365	$10,860,231	$500,000	$468,607

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS/REVENUES, DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES, OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES), AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED June 30, 1996

	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Bond and Interest	Transportation	Municipal Retirement/ Social Security	Site and Construction/ Capital Improvement	Working Cash	Fire Prevention and Safety
RECEIPTS/REVENUES								
Local Sources	$13,821,899	$2,207,219	$1,009,591	$ 996,462	$1,319,468	$ 552,813	$ 905	$167,667
State Sources	18,602,803	-		1,047,227	8,149	-		-
Federal Sources	3,202,264	-		5,036	19,331			
TOTAL REVENUE/RECEIPTS	$35,626,966	$2,207,219	$1,009,591	$2,048,725	$1,346,948	$ 552,813	$ 905	$167,667
DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES								
Instruction	$22,516,810	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 219,974	$ -	$ -	$ -
Supporting Services	10,539,254	2,036,238	-	1,895,545	1,226,883	2,353,935		44,141
Community Services	197,505	-	-	480	2,087	-		
Nonprogrammed Charges	724,795	-	-					
Debt Services	-	-	1,365,806					
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS/ EXPENDITURES	$33,978,364	$2,036,238	$1,365,806	$1,896,025	$1,448,944	$ 2,353,935	$ -	$ 44,141
Excess of Direct Receipts/Revenues Over (Under) Direct Disbursements/ Expenditures	$ 1,648,602	$ 170,981	$ (356,215)	$ 152,700	$ (101,996)	$(1,801,122)	$ 905	$123,526
OTHER FINANCIAL SOURCES AND (USES)								
Other Financing Sources	905	-	11,214,252	-	-	-	500,000	-
Other Financing (Uses)	-	-	10,875,791				905	-
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES AND (USES)	$ 905	$ -	$ 338,461	$ -	$ -	$ -	$499,095	$ -
Excess of Receipts/Revenue and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Disb./Exp. and Other Financing Uses	1,649,507	170,981	(17,754)	152,700	(101,996)	(1,801,122)	500,000	123,526
FUND BALANCES - July 1, 1995	2,532,086	1,528,771	42,996	364,446	417,771	11,944,664	-	162,466
FUND BALANCES - June 30, 1996	$ 4,181,593	$1,699,752	$ 25,242	$ 517,146	$ 315,775	$10,143,542	$500,000	$285,992

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1820 COMPUTER EQUIP.

EPSON STYLUS color printer, IBM compatible, customized printer software. 288-9228.

1840 FARM EQUIP. /SUPPLIES

USED TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT
Ford 8N, Yanmar 165D w/mower. Backhoe & Loader Tractors-Ford 800 $4,995. J.D. 301A, (2) Ford 555AXL w/extendahoe, (2) Ford 555D w/extendahoe. New Holland Skid Steer Loaders-LX665 (50HP) LX783 (57HP). Used 4', 5' & 6' Finish Mowers. 5', 6' & 7' Rotary Mowers. Case IH 8450 Round Baler (1993, very sharp) $7,845.
LYNN TRACTOR ALTON 465-3541

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HARDWOOD, SPLIT, 2x4x8, $75 delivered; mixed wood $65. (618)286-3365.

OAK SEASONED firewood. Approximately ½ cord, delivered & stacked, $70. Call: 288-7919.

1865 FURNITURE DRAPERIES

ANTIQUE:3 PC BEDROOM SET BEVELED MIRRORS, TIGER OAK, HEAD/FOOT BOARDS. CALL 876-4143.

A QUEEN orthopedic mattress set, extra firm, still in wrapper. Cost $530-sell $200. Can deliver. 618-277-0327.

COUCH & LOVE SEAT WITH OAKWOOD TRIM, STITCHED MULTI COLOR WITH PASTEL STRIPING, LIKE NEW, $450. FOR BOTH, FIRM 931-6750.

ELECTRONIC BASKETBALL, sofa, 2 chairs, bedroom set & waterbed with mirrored bookcase headboard. 288-1511.

1865 FURNITURE, DRAPERIES

EDWARDS STREET TRADING CTR.
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Granite City, IL 62040
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Like New Sofa Sleeper & Chair.........$299.95
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Rollaway Beds, new mattress sets.......$99.95
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Entertainment Centers, Microwaves, Carts, Etc.

Furniture: quality 4 piece oak bedroom, 6 piece white bedroom, coach & table, 2 stereo cabinets, daybed. Call 877-7404

MOVING. Gold velvet couch, all living room furniture, dining room & credenza. Very nice. All for $325. 346-1054.

QUEEN size waterbed, beautiful head board and all accessories; $100.00; 931-2511.

WATERBED $50.00; loveseat & couch $50.00; good condition.; 877-4105 after 5:30pm.

1875 HANDICAPPED ITEMS

BRACELETS BY AMY, 14k gold semi precious stones, 6 colors to choose from, with or without names. $25.00 single strand; $35.00 double; $40.00 triple; $45.00 quad; call 451-6869 for more info.

1880 HEALTH/FITNESS

Fitrim 2200 total body work aut machine $120.95; Fit Walk plus tread mill $85.95; fitrim 500 steper climber $85.95; fitrack 3000 high quality tredmill $65.95; 452-0193.

1900 HOUSEHOLD GOODS

ALOHA KEROSENE HEATER 1.82 GAL, BATTERY PUMP INCLUDED $70.; FLOOR EXERCISER PADED SEAT & BACK $30.00; 931-4512.

CARPETING, $39. A ROOM, many sizes/colors. Call 524-1500.

1910 HOBBIES/TOYS

SUE'S CERAMICS, 2239 ILLINOIS AVE. OPEN 9AM-6PM, MON-SAT. CALL:452-0173 OR 452-8974.

1960 MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

KOHLER-CAMPBELL SPINET PIANO $200.00 452-1927.

PIANO FOR SALE: Wanted, responsible party to take on small monthly payments on console piano. See locally. Call 800-635-7611.

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SMALL OAK PIANO $500. 876-4328.

1970 PETS

AKC Registered Bichon Frise puppies, shots & wormed, family/raised, wonderful pets!! $250 466-3066

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FLEA CONTROL TABLET
Is Now Available
AT COLUMBIA ANIMAL HOSPITAL
(618) 281-7161

1972 PET SUPPLIES

55 Gallon aquarium, Wood stand, Hoods, two power filters, Four cartriges! Undergravel filter, Dual air pump, Gravel, Backround, Rocks, Logs, Plants, And Fish, 2 Oscars, Catfish, Pocustamus; 30 Gallon long, No stand, Hood, Power filter, Undergravel filter also, Dual air pump, Acessories, And Fish! Dempsey, Pocustmus...; Beautiful wood stand that holds both 55 and 30 on one stand!
55 and stand $199.00;
30 long $89.00;
TOTAL $288.00; Both $275.00. CALL 797-6053.

Call today to place your ad. Journal Classifieds

2020 MISC. FOR SALE

ANTIQUE QUEEN ANNE BUFFET, EXCELLENT CONDITION, MIRRORED CANOPY WATERBED, GAS DRYER, GAS COOK STOVE, OLD OAK DINING TABLE(LARGE), OTHER MISC. ITEMS. 451-8175.

COMPUTER-Tandy 286 VGA monitor & printer, $500. OBO; 451-1714.

COUCH AND LOVE SEAT, VERY NICE, $450.00; 3201 AUBREY.

FOR SALE:7'L-9'W-4 1/2'H, PARKING BLOCKS. $12.00 EA. YARD PICKUP ONLY, CASH AND CARRY. 451-5635.

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PORCELAIN TOP ELEC. RANGE; REFRIGERATOR; MAYTAG WASHER; CALL 451-1709.

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Commercial/Home Units from $199
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WANTED: WORLD WAR II military items-Helmets, uniforms, swords, flight jackets. Cash paid. 667-3079.

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Flattened Alum. Cans	40¢ lb.
Alum. Cans	37¢ lb.
Clean Scrap	28¢ lb.
#1 Copper	73¢ lb.
#2 Copper	61¢ lb.
Yellow Brass	42¢ lb.
Auto Radiators	36¢ lb.
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Limit of 15
3990 Bunkum
(618)271-5000

2304 BELLEVILLE-EAST

3 ACRES OR 5 acres or 10 acres with house, 2-car garage, 35x21 ft. machine shed, 1500 Green Mount Lane, Belleville. 234-8364.

2325 COLLINSVILLE & VICINITY

BY OWNER: 3-4 bedroom in Troy, all brick ranch, corner lot, 2 full baths, finished basement, fireplace in living room, big kitchen with ceramic tile floor, new carpet in living room, new hardwood floor in hallway, new roof, new 12x12x12 shed, 10x30 covered patio, pool & hot tub. Must see! $99,900. 667-0957 after 5pm. or leave message.

FSBO-#38 GARY, Maryville. 3br., 2ba., fully finished basement, new 2 level deck, patio, siding, counter tops, ceiling fans, too much to mention. Move in today! 692-1950

Check out the classifieds. You'll find lots of bargains!

Century 21
Hallmark Homes
$105,900
QUALITY BRICK HOME on corner landscaped lot. Over 2200 sq. ft., 3 bd., 2 bths., masonry fplace., great fam. rm. plus a versatile bonus rm. 2 car garage, more.
NEW PRICE
$149,900
OWNER TRANSFERRING—MOTIVATED: Best of everything has gone into this compelling ranch style home. Built-in pool & air-conditioned gazebo. 3-4 bedrooms, 3 baths. The only missing part is you! Call to complete this picture.
Call: Karen McConnell
Broker Assoc.
344-6716

2325 COLLINSVILLE & VICINITY

LEASE W/OPTION to buy, beautiful newly decorated duplex. Hardwood floors. 243 N. Clinton, $53,000. 345-8216 after 5pm. or leave message.

MARYVILLE, 3 BR Ranch (1 in basement), ⅔ finished basement, fireplace, 2 car garage, fenced yard, cathedral ceiling in living room, quiet street, 16x28ft deck, central air. Call 667-1941.

MOTIVATED SELLER. Cute 2 story, w/o basement, nice sub., 3brs., 2½ baths, lr, fp, large kitchen & more. Must see! Reduced to $99,900. Call 345-4065.

412 N. AURORA to be auctioned November 30th. 344-6203.

2340 EAST ST. LOUIS

2 Bdr. home, partially remodeled, 914 Walter East St.Louis, $5000, call 618-583-9716

2345 EDWARDSVILLE & VICINITY

NEWLY REMODELED, 1800 sq.ft. split foyer, large fenced yard, above ground pool with large deck, new central air, 3-4 bedrooms, 1½ baths, close to I-70 & 270. $89,500. No realtors. 286-0182.

2355 GRANITE CITY & VICINITY

CONTRACT SALE-NO MONEY DOWN, $200 per month buys, 1975 14x70 2BR Mobile-home, Parktown West In Granite City. 1(800)255-8250.

FOR SALE BY OWNER BEAYTIFUL 3 BEDROOM SPLIT LEVEL. 2 FULL BATHS, KITCHEN, LIVING ROOM, LARGE FAMILY ROOM. DOWNSTAIRS COMPLETELY RMODELED, CARPORT, LARGE YARD. CLOSE TO MAJOR HIGHWAYS. LOCATED IN PONTOON BEACH. MITCHELL SCHOOL DISTRICT. QUICK POSSESSION. $61,500. FOR APPT. 931-8113.

GUARDIAN SAVINGS BANK
CALL 876-7450 FOR MORTGAGE LOAN INFORMATION
YOUR HOMETOWN MORTGAGE LENDER
GSB

FOR SALE BY OWNER! Will Go Contract For Deed with $4000 Down. 3-4Br, LR, kit., 1½BA, full bsm't. 1923 5th St., Madison. $24,000. Call 876-7809 after 5pm.

L-SHAPED all brick ranch, 1525sq.ft. upstairs, 1525sq.ft. finished basement, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, kitchen, dining room, living room, family room. 2180 Shirlene, near Maryville School and BAC. $92,900. Days 345-8088; Evenings 797-1314.

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1730 AUCTIONS /FLEA MKTS.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1:00 P.M.
COMMERCIAL BUILDING
1329 NEIDRINGHAUS AVE., GRANITE CITY, IL
We are offering at auction a brick commercial building, formerly the Elks Lodge, on a lot 100x102 Irr. This building is 2 story with 3640 sq. ft. on each level plus a full finished basement.
The main level and lower level have been and are equipped to be used as a restaurant and/or bar. The second floor can be used as a rental hall for parties/receptions and was previously used as a theater type room.
The building comes with a well equipped restaurant kitchen, including stainless steam table, dishwasher, commercial stove, etc. conditioning for all floors. The interior is in very good condition, ready to use. There are some miscellaneous pieces of personal property including tables, chairs, etc. and will be sold with the building. Many possibilities of this building.
REAL ESTATE SOLD SUBJECT TO EXECUTOR'S CONFIRMATION
TERMS: Buyer to enter into a written real estate contract. Buyer to pay 10% (ten percent) of purchase day of auction. Balance due in 30 days or upon delivery of deed conveying merchantable title.
FOR INSPECTION CONTACT EXECUTOR OR AUCTIONEER
OWNER: Hazel I. Trotts Estate
EXECUTOR: Barry Trotts PHONE: 618/465-9449
ATTORNEY: Leo Konzen PHONE: 618/876-8500
AUCTIONEERS NOTE: This property is ready to provide good returns on your investment immediately. Worth your consideration. *Homer*

HOMER HENKE AUCTION SERVICE 618-377-6444

REAL ESTATE AUCTION
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16 2:00 PM
3 HOMES IN 2600 BLOCK E 24TH ST, GRANITE CITY, IL
TRACT I: 2310 E 24TH ST, GRANITE CITY, IL
We are offering a nice single family home with approximately 920 sq ft of living space on a 50x125' lot. This 1 story frame home has 5 rooms on main floor, 2 bedrooms in attic, oversize 2 car detached garage (1 door opener, concrete floor and electric), 3 yr old central air, and gas furnace and water heater. The exterior has vinyl siding with brick front, patio doors off kitchen, deck, full basement, open front porch and partially fenced yard. This home has been totally remodeled in the last 3 years.
TRACT II: 2316 E 24TH ST, GRANITE CITY, IL
This home 1 story brick has 1116 sq ft of living area on a 50x125' lot. There are 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, enclosed 6.5x22.5' front porch, full basement, central air, gas furnace and water heater, detached garage with carport and partially fenced yard. This home is presently rented to good tenants and is HUD approved.
TRACT III: 2328 E 24TH ST, GRANITE CITY, IL
The third home we are offering is a 1.5 story home with aluminum siding and brick trim, full basement, new gas furnace and central air. The rooms consist of living room, dining room and eat-in kitchen on the first floor and 2 bedrooms and bath on second floor. There is a 144 sq ft enclosed porch and 126 sq ft open porch, new windows, and rear access to an alley.
All these homes are presently rented to good tenants with rents averaging $400 per month. and will be sold SUBJECT TO TENANT'S RIGHTS.
TRACT IV WILL BE SOLD AT 3:30 PM ON SITE
TRACT IV: 20.78 ACRES S CLINTON ROAD, CASEYVILLE TWP, CASEYVILLE, IL
ST. CLAIR COUNTY PARCEL #03-03.0-400-050
DIRECTIONS: From Route 159 on south edge of Collinsville turn east at Catsup Bottle on Clinton Road, go 1.4 mile to entrance road, watch for auction sign.
This 20.78 acre parcel of land is a builder's dream, with privacy, woods, and new 1.5-2 acre lake. This land has a remote atmosphere yet it's minutes from St. Clair Square Mall, schools, churches and all conveniences in Collinsville.
REAL ESTATE SOLD SUBJECT TO OWNERS CONFIRMATION
TERMS: Buyer to enter into a written real estate contract. Buyer to pay 10% (ten percent) of purchase price day of auction. Balance due in 30 days or upon delivery of deed conveying merchantable title.
FOR INSPECTION CONTACT OWNER OR AUCTIONEER
OWNERS: Eugene Moore PHONE: 618/876-1571
Cathy Stearns
AUCTIONEERS NOTE: These 3 homes have been recently updated, have good tenants and would make good return on your investment immediately. The 20.78 acre building site has preliminary grading done, ready to build on. *Homer*

HOMER HENKE AUCTION SERVICE 618-377-6444

REAL ESTATE AUCTION
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23, 1996
Re-Organization - Partial liquidation
2-Truck Terminals, Trucks & Trailers,
Mobile Office and Equipment
STARTING AT 9 AM
AT: HORN TRUCKING CO.
3141 W. CHAIN OF ROCKS RD., GRANITE CITY, IL
Truck Terminal - 13.7 ac. @ office only 5 minutes from I-270 Chain of Rocks Bridge, off I-270. Zoned M-3. OWNER: HORN TRUCKING COMPANY
Tract 1: 3 ac. rocked truck parking lot, security fence, utility hook ups.
Tract 2: 5 ac. rocked truck parking lot, security fence with elec. gate.
Tract 3: Terminal office and driver lounge. Located on Tract 2. A Mobile Structures portable office, 28 x 70, and one 12 x 70 mobile office. Rest rooms, furnaces, air cond., 200 amp service. Offered separately an Intertel Premier 24-60 phone system approx. 4 years old, with 20 phones.
Tract 4: 5 ac. lot located adjacent south of Tract 2. This tract is unimproved, partially fenced industrial zoned.

TRUCKS AND TRAILERS

'79 IH 4070B - 290 10 spd	'86 Monon 45' flat
'78 ETL 350 - Parts	85' Hobbs 45' flat
'78 Ford CL9000 - 350 - 10 spd	'72 T/M 13' - 42' Van
'74 IH 4070A - 318 - 13 spd	'73 T/M 13' - 42' Van
3- Dunham 48' - 93' Pole Tris	'70 Brn 13' - 42' Van
3- Dorsey 48' - 93' Pole Tris	'68 F/H 13' - 6'' - 45' Van
'80 Hobbs 45' flat	'68 F/H 40' - 65' Str'
'78 Budd 40' flat	'78 IH C/O 350 13SPD

STARTING AT 1 PM
AT: HORN TRUCKING CO.
12448 SPORTSMAN RD., HIGHLAND, IL
Truck Terminal - Approx. 2.6 ac. just off Rt. 143 on Sportsman Rd. The improvements include a Braden steel 40 x 40 office and 5 door freight dock as well as a Braden steel 60 x 75 truck shop. Just 30 minutes from St. Louis OWNER: DELORES MERKLE TRUST.

'68 (NEW) - FTL GLIDER KIT	'86 IH - 300 9 SPD
'86 IH C/O 300 9 SPD	'79 BUDD 42' FLAT
'71 IH 4070A 903-10 SPD	'72 F/H 40' VAN
'88 Mallard 36' Class A Motor Home	'86 IH C/O 300 9 SPD
'90 Tracker Party Barge 26' Pontoon Boat w/trailer & 25 HP motor	'64 MARSHALL 38' FLAT
	'72 T/M 42' VAN

Misc. Parts, side kits, chains, and binders, etc. to be sold at Highland. REAL ESTATE TAXES: Prorated to Date of Sale OWNER: HORN TRUCKING
GRANITE CITY AND HIGHLAND SALE TERMS: Real Estate 10% down day of sale, balance due upon delivery of merchantable title. (All other sales cash or check with bank letter of guarantee.) I.D. required at registration.
AUCTIONEERS NOTE: This sale is conducted as part of an ongoing effort to improve efficiency by consolidating operations. The morning sale at Granite City will include tractors and trailers owned and consigned. The afternoon sale includes the real estate and trucking related items. For pre-sale inspection and information contact Virgil at 618-654-7531. All statements made at sale take precedent over printed material.
AUCTION ASSOCIATES
618-654-7531 VIRGIL STRAETER PO BOX 435 • HIGHLAND, IL

1730 AUCTIONS /FLEA MKTS.

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CONSIGNMENT & ESTATE AUCTION
Monday - Nov. 18 - 6 PM
American Legion Hall, Collinsville
Watch for full list of items in Sunday's paper.
Bill Scaturro 344-3545

3720 Ridgeview Glen Carbon, IL **AUCTION** Sun., Nov. 17, 1996 11:00 A.M. Sale
Hwy. 159 & Goshen Rd. (at Quick Trip), East on Goshen Rd. to Ridgeview, go North ¼ Mile.
ANTIQUES: 2 Lg. Jug Crocks, Bud Cans, Metal Bed, Kraut Barrel, Dresser, Pictures-Ornate Frames, Copper Boiler, Forge, Milk Can, Tractor Seat, Buffalo Drill Press, Tools, 2 Man Saw, 4 IBM Selectric Typewriters/2 Correctible (perfect condition), LOTS OF GOOD HOUSEHOLD ITEMS, SMALL APPLIANCES AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE: Post Hole Digger, Paint Sprayer, Lg. Wooden Step Ladder & Others, Seeder, B/D Circular Saw & Drills, Silver Eagle Insignia, Grain Shovel, Come-A-Long, MUCH, MUCH MORE!!!!
ALLAN AUCTION 344-6203

AUCTION
2405 Lynch Granite City, Il. Sunday, Nov. 24, 1996
11:00 Household 1:00 REAL ESTATE
From Pontoon Rd. North on Maryville Rd. 2 blocks to Lynch (Corner Lot).
REAL ESTATE TO BE OFFERED AT 1:00 P.M.: Beautiful all brick maintenance free 2 BR home, LR, DR, Family room, 1½ Baths, Full Basement w/Cedar Lined Wall Cabinets & Knotty-Pine Panelling, Glass & Screen Porch, 2 Car Garage. Perfect Location, Close to Everything!
VIEWING: BY APPT. ONLY CALL 344-6203 or OPEN HOUSE ON WED., NOV. 13th at 7:00 P.M.
TERMS: 10% down day of sale, remainder due upon receipt of title.
ALLAN AUCTION 344-6203

AUCTION
ESTATE OF GENEVIEVE SCHNELL SAT., NOV. 30, 1996
412 N. AURORA, 10:30 HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
COLLINSVILLE, IL. NOON—REAL ESTATE
(dead-end street/off-street parking)
REAL ESTATE TO BE OFFERED AT NOON: 2 BEDROOM, BATH, LIVING & DININGROOM, KIT., FULL BASEMENT, GAS FURNACE & C/A, close to downtown, perfect for starter home, rental property. Located in a nice neighborhood.
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618-344-6203

921 Vivian Collinsville, IL **AUCTION** Sat., Nov. 16, 1996 10:30 A.M. Sale
Beltline & Johnson Hill to Alco, up Alco 1 Block to Vivian.
TOOLS, TOOLS, TOOLS
Window A/C Unit, Antique Wooden Desk, Amana Microwave, Old Crockery, Pocket Knives, Rollabout Fan, Hospital Bed, Dresser, Chest, 3 Wurlitzer Funmaker Organs, Sheet Music, Stereos, Speakers, Turntables, Lots of Scrap Metal & Wooden Doors, 2 Riding Mowers & Pushmowers, Lamps, Kenmore Refrigerator, 2 Wheel Dolly, Floor Jack, Heaters, B/D Hedge Trimmer, Craftsman 10" Table Saw, 5 Circular Saws, 2¼ Ton Jack, Pipe Cutter & Dye, Ladders, Lots of hand saws, RCA COLOR TV, Antique Radio Cabinet & Music Cabinet, Couch, Bird Cage & Stand, Wheelbarrow, Gun Covers, MUCH, MUCH MORE!!!!
ALLAN AUCTION 344-6203

1750 APPLIANCES

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Used Appliances
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ENCORE Recycled Appliances
MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE
ST. LOUIS
8925 Natural Bridge Rd.
423-7007
7899 Watson Rd.
963-3100
ST. CHARLES
2456 West Clay St.
(St. Charles Plaza)
946-4100
GRANITE CITY
1371 Niedringhaus Ave.
451-8800
REFRIGERATORS RANGES WASHERS DRYERS

460 LEGAL

ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Fiscal and Shared Services Center
Financial Outreach Services
100 North First Street
Springfield, Illinois 62777-0001

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR PUBLICATION
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED June 30, 1996*
(Section 10-17 of the School Code)**
REGION 1, MADISON COUNTY, IL
SPECIAL EDUCATION DISTRICT
ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT
GRANITE CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT #9
1947 ADAMS STREET, GRANITE CITY, IL 62040

SIZE OF DISTRICT IN SQUARE MILES—61
NUMBER OF ATTENDANCE CENTERS—0
NUMBER OF CERTIFIED EMPLOYEES—
FULL-TIME—5 PART—TIME—0
NUMBER OF NON-CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES—
FULL-TIME—8 PART-TIME—2
*Based Upon the Illinois Program Accounting Manual for Local Education Agencies
**Example: If the tax rate for educational purposes is $1.84 per $100 of EAV, it is shown as 1.84%.

	Value of Capital Assets	Basis of Valuation Used
Assets Equipment	153,461	Cost

GROSS PAYMENT FOR CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL
Salary Range: $25,000 - $39,999
Lamp, Kathleen M.
$40,000 and Over
Baker, Pamela K.
Mills, William S.
Nighohssian, Betty J.
Reinking, Carol A.
NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL
Less Than $15,000
Lightfoot, Vickie
$25,000 - $39,999
Boesch, Amy
Bloomer, Mary A.
Hamilton, Kristen J.
Lathrop, Thelma I.
Mahony, Debra K.
McGinnis, Carla R.
Ohanesian, Sonya K.
$40,000 and Over
Daigle, Mary L
Mergler, Deborah J.

INDIVIDUAL FUND BALANCE SHEETS June 30, 1996

Assets	Educational
CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash	$ 10
Other Accrued Assets (GAAP)	161,664
Accounts Receivable (GAAP)	88,672
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	$250,346
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accrued Liabilities (GAAP)	$118,548
Payroll Deductions Payable	5,536
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$124,084
Reserved Fund Balance	$126,262
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	$250,346

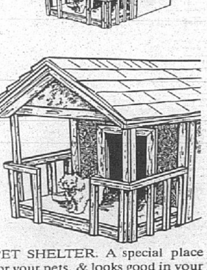
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS/REVENUES
DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES,
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES),
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR
THE YEAR ENDED June 30, 1996

Description	Educational
RECEIPTS/REVENUES	
Local Sources	$602,737
Flow-Through Revenue from One LEA to Another LEA	528,854
State Sources	78,546
Federal Sources	251,745
TOTAL REVENUE/RECEIPTS	$1,461,882
DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES	
Instruction	$ 16,524
Supporting Services	790,242
Nonprogrammed Charges	528,854
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENDITURES	$1,335,620
Excess of Direct Receipts/Revenues Over (Under) Direct Disbursements/Expenditures	$126,262

GRANITE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
UNIT JOINT AGREEMENT FUND
PUBLISHED REPORT FOR 7/1/95 TO 6/30/96
OF VENDORS PAID 1,000.00 OR MORE

AFT Local 743 Teachers	$ 1,003.04
Ameritech	1,306.32
Best Buy Co. Inc.	2,599.00
Betty Nighohossian	1,422.48
Business Equipment Center	1,074.34
Central Bank	391,900.28
Copying Concepts	4,143.66
Diane Becherer	1,665.00
Granite City Comm. Unit School	430,139.00
Ill Municipal Retirement Fund	71,787.23
Illinois Department of Revenue	2,883.47
Illinois Power Co.	13,365.37
Illinois Special Olympics	1,933.50
Institute For Educ Development	1,430.00
Kathleen Lamp	5,088.90
Kelly Boyd	2,475.00
Madison School District #12	84,056.03
Magna Bank	842,000.00
Maia Gallaher	1,980.00
Omni Bank	45,000.00
On Line Computing	9,549.50
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30-year-old, blonde/blue, outgoing, independent SWF, doesn't want to sit home this Fall/Winter. ISO spontaneous S/DWM, 25-45, friendship, relationship. ☎15732

43, DWF, curvaceous, vivacious, spontaneous, full-figured, pretty, unpretentious. Seeks honest, tall SWM, for friendship, romance, loving long-term relationship. ☎15811

5'2", eyes are blue. Petite DWF, 47, professional, likes outdoors, camping, travel, movies. ISO DWM, same interests, nonsmoker and family-oriented. ☎15788

50-year-old SBF, enjoy fishing and traveling. Seeking compatible SBM, 50-60, who is full of life, for companionship. ☎15523

Active DWF, 41, 5'5", 105 lbs, enjoys bowling, swimming, playing pool, and dancing. ISO WM, with similar interests for dating. ☎15780

Active, adventurous, fun, loving, trim; this pretty 5'5" DWF likes everything, sports to gourmet cooking. Seeking SWPM +/-50, similar interests. ☎15806

Advanced degreed professional, DWF, 42, brunette, hazel eyes, attractive and dynamic. ISO someone who wants spice in their life. ☎15746

Affectionate SWF, 31, 5'8", 190, enjoys country music, dancing, movies. ISO S/DWM, 31-40, tall, with same interests. Must love kids! ☎15493

Affectionate, pretty, tanned, blue eyes, slender DWF, 31, mother, smoker. ISO handsome Italian/H Man, 34-49, for true love, permanent relationship. ☎15729

Affectionate, attractive, honest DWF, 50, 5'3", medium build, nonsmoker, nondrinker. ISO emotionally/financially secure, good-humored SWM, 50s. Likes movies, walks, togetherness. ☎15816

Any nonsmoking golfers out there? WWWF, 50, kids grown, good job, social drinker, great sense of humor and love of the game. ☎15743

Are you an emotionally secure, nonsmoking, athletic SWM, 28-34, who likes sports, outdoors? Good. I'm a down-to-earth, funny SWF, 28, 5'7", 135 lbs. ☎15722

Are you the one for me? SWF, 31, 5'6", blond/blue, varied interests. Seeking S/DWM, no dependents, companionship, possible relationship. ☎15587

Ask me no questions... I'll tell you no lies. SWF, ISO SWM, 45-53. ☎15775

Attractive DWF, 41, 5'5", seeking romance, togetherness, affection, monogamous relationship. If you're a S/DWM, attractive, well-built, honest, call. ☎15510

Attractive, thick, blue-eyed, blondish-brown haired beauty, 23. ISO intelligent, honest SBM, 23-35. ☎15553

Attractive, affectionate, caring SWF, 53, 5'9", smoker, social drinker. Enjoys outdoors, dining out, quiet times. ISO SWM, 50-62, 6'+, friendship, relationship. ☎15559

Attractive, classy, petite DWF, 47, independent, professional, outgoing. Enjoys outdoors, music, theater, travel, romance. Seeks handsome, intelligent, humorous, nonsmoking S/DWM. ☎15654

Attractive SWCF, 46, degreed, nonsmoker, easygoing; loves nature, animals, gardening, walking, biking. Seeks SWM, 40-50, for relationship. Family-oriented. ☎15661

Attractive, blonde, 39; olive complexion, compassionate, loves flowers, dancing, picnics, romantic dinners, cooking, working out. Seeking successful, sincere, fun WM, 35-60. ☎15677

Attractive WWWCF, brunette, financially stable, outgoing, caring, faithful, romantic, n/s, n/d, ISO SWM, 50s-60s, who enjoys movies, music, dancing. ☎15691

Attractive, thick, brown-eyed, reddish-brown haired SWF, 42, ISO fun-loving, adventurous, honest BM, 44-55, for friendship, possibly more. ☎15719

Attractive SBF, 33, enjoys movies, dining out, quiet evenings, drug-free, nonsmoker. Seeking SBCM, similar qualities. ☎15799

Attractive, romantic SWCF, 25, seeking tall, relationship-minded SWCM, 25-35, who likes country music, fast cars and long walks. ☎15803

Beautiful, blue-eyed, attractive, full-figured DWPF, 26, seeking S/DBPM, 25-38. Enjoy music, movies, dancing and more. Long-term relationship. ☎15638

Black Woman, 49, loves reading, writing, long walks, seeking tall Man, 50-55, race unimportant, 5'10" or taller, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15717

Brown-haired, blue-eyed, country-fried Girl, 30, enjoys auto sports, country life, and country music. ISO similar S/DM, 28-40. Must like kids. ☎15739

Brrrrr. Rescue me, I'm freezing cold! SWF, 49. ISO warm, passionate SWM, 45-53. ☎15712

Bubbly personality; DWCF, nondrinker, nonsmoker, enjoy movies, quiet evenings at home, picnicking. ISO S/DWCM, 36-48, for friendship first. ☎15622

Bubbly, brainy brunette, SWCF, 5'6", slender, love animals, outdoors, cooking. ISO honest, articulate, responsible, nonsmoking S/DWM, 39-53, average height/build. ☎15738

Busy professional DWF, 39. ISO an adventurous, articulate, independent soulmate who lives near Lawrence, Kansas. ☎15781

Charming SBF, 19, 5'10", n/s, n/d. Seeks spiritual SM, enjoys church activities, weekend trips, literature. Friendship, possible long-term relationship. ☎15778

City Girl... Outgoing DWF, 28, enjoys reading and laughter. ISO adventurous, kindhearted S/DWM, 25-35, who enjoys life. ☎15774

College Woman wants dinner and fun. ☎15509

Compassionate, honest DBF, 40, 5'2", medium-built, enjoys movies, dining, jazz, walks, quiet evenings. ISO BM, 35-47, compassionate, honest, with similar interests. ☎15589

Compassionate, honest DWF, 44, medium build, enjoys music, movies, dining out, quiet evenings, no head games. Seeking SM, 40-50, with similar interests. ☎15695

Country Girl. SWF, 25, 5'7", 120 lbs, enjoys companionship, concerts, movies, dinner, dancing, Harleys. Seeking SWM, 21-30, smoking and drinking ok. ☎15526

Country Girl, 39, looking for country Boy into rough, outdoor sports, mud bogs, ATVs, camping, hunting, fishing. ☎15597

Damsel in distress. DBCF ISO happy ending with Prince Charming or knight in shining armor, 30-40. Frogs need not respond. ☎15713

Down-to-earth, 50-ish, petite SWF. ISO medium-built, average height SWM, late 40s to early 50s. N/s, n/drugs. ☎15502

Down-to-earth DWF, 27, smoker, medium build, curvy. ISO honest, attractive, humorous S/DWM, 30-40, who wants to have a healthy long-term relationship. ☎15504

Down-to-earth DWF, 38, 5'6", slim, enjoys conversation and more. ISO down-to-earth Man, 6'0"+, 35-40, for dating, possible relationship. ☎15546

DWF, 37, 5'7", 120 lbs, attractive, fit, intelligent, humorous, ISO attractive, professional Gentleman who enjoys, sports, outdoors, movies, quiet times, kids. ☎15573

DWF, 41, lives in St. Charles, seeking that special Man, 34-44. Must be honest, loving, caring, enjoy outdoors, rock 'n' roll and children. ☎15513

DWF, 43, 5'5", 145, brown/brown, seeking attractive M, 39-45, with no commitments, just companionship and fun. ☎15577

DWF, 50, confident, down-to-earth, independent, overweight, enjoys people, trips, nature, and rainy days at home. ISO SWM, 47-60. ☎15531

DWF, 52, loves country music, dancing, dining, auctions, garage sales, flea markets and movies. Seeking Man, 45-60. All calls answered. ☎15660

Exceptional DBCF, 42, mom, 5'2", medium build; ISO BCM, 38-48, nondrinker, nonsmoker, educated, sincere, caring, real; for friendship first, possible relationship. ☎15706

Exciting, honest, affectionate DWF, 45, no children, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeking honest SWM, 40-49, for serious relationship. ☎15689

Financially secure, educated WF, 31, 5'4", well-proportioned, social drinker; likes music, motorcycles, boating. Seeking educated SWM, 28-38, 6"+. ☎15518

Forever young, energetic DWF, 49, 5'9", 156 lbs, nonsmoker, blond/blue. ISO active, romantic, self-sufficient S/DWM, 40-55, 5'9"+. ☎15664

Full-figured SWF, 19, 5'9", likes all music, dancing and road trips. ISO SM, 18-25, with good personality for friendship possibly more. ☎15562

Full-figured, biracial beauty, 24, into fun as well as quiet times. Seeking intelligent, honest Man, 23-39. Race open. ☎15750

Full-figured DBF, 47, stable. Enjoys walks in park, movies, church, theater. Seeking SBM, 45-60, similar interests, for friendship, possible monogamous relationship. ☎15810

Full-figured, fun-loving SWF, mother of one, 30, likes camping, dining out, movies, affection. ISO humorous, honest S/DWM, 24-38. No games. ☎15855

Funny, 49-year-old blond, seeking 50+ DWM, for companionship in old age. Fireplace experience preferred. ☎15596

Healthy Black Woman, soft and cuddly, enjoys theater, movies, quiet evenings at homes. Seeking romantic, focused, head of the house Man. ☎15845

Honest DWF, 29, 140 lbs, enjoys conversation, outdoors, romantic evenings. Seeking S/DWM, 29-37, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15620

Honest, affectionate, great sense of humor, one-Man Woman, 50s, enjoys holding hands, hugs, country music, quiet evenings. ISO Male, 47-60. ☎15583

Honest, dependable, funny, full-figured SWF, 31, smoker, love cats and dogs. ISO attractive S/DWM, 25-45, with the same qualities. ☎15498

Honest, dependable BF, 36, attractive, plus-sized Lady, seeks intelligent, caring Gentleman, 35-50, with Christian values, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15809

Honest, sincere, 44-year-old DBF. ISO intelligent, compassionate S/DBM, 39-50, like dancing, jazz, spontaneity, and laughter, for friendship, possibly long-term relationship. ☎15647

Honest, trustworthy DWF, 43, sense of humor, full-figured, variety of interests. ISO SWM, who is fun, and wants to explore life. ☎15610

Honey brown, sweet SBF, 38, very romantic, affectionate, likes movies, concerts, comedy shows. Seeking S/DBM, 35-45, same qualities; serious commitment. ☎15608

Illinois DWF, 45, n/s, 5'5", 190 lbs, ISO large, gentle S/DWM, 35-50, n/s, to hold and to pamper. ☎15860

Illinois resident. Attractive, full-figured blonde, 36. Enjoys travel, movies, sporting events. Seeks professional SWM, 30s, for monogamous relationship. ☎15833

Illinois WWWF, 56, with touch of class. Waiting to be swept into sea of romance by Gentleman of similar caliber, 53-60. ☎15656

ISO Mr. Right. 5'5", 124 lbs, attractive, gray-eyed SWF, honest, devoted, romantic. Enjoys camping, quiet evenings, moonlit Harley rides. ISO attractive SWM, 30-40, proportionate, to light my fire. ☎15614

Jefferson County DWF, 31, brown/hazel, enjoys movies, dancing, bowling, sightseeing. ISO S/DWM, 25-38. ☎15533

Jefferson County DWF, 36, full-figured, nonsmoker, looking for fun and romance with a Single Male. ☎15817

Looking for SBM, 19-23, very honest, intelligent, outgoing, loves to be with children. I'm 5'1", 115 lbs, loves the outdoors. ☎15528

Looking for honest BM, loves quiet evenings at home, for possible long-term relationship. I am a SBF, attractive, 5'3", fun-loving, love kids. ☎15650

Lovely, witty, charming, fortysomething DBF, 5'3", 125 lbs, ISO mature S/DBM, 40-52, for friendship, fun, possible romance. ☎15594

Loving SBF, 27, 5'6", 130 lbs. Enjoys movies, dining out, long walks. ISO professional, serious, marriage-minded SBM, 26-36, who loves children. ☎15616

Loving, caring SWF, 18, 5'9", likes to have fun. Looking for SWM, 18-25, 5'10" and over. Must be fun-loving and outgoing. ☎15699

More to love. Full-figured, fun-loving, independent SBF, 30. ISO one-on-one, strong, sincere, intelligent SBM, 28-40s, tired of games. Must love kids. ☎15671

Mother of two. DWF, 33, varied interests, looking for sincere S/DWM, 30-45, for possible relationship. ☎15519

New in town. Ready to love again. Rubenesque DWF, 44, spontaneous, independent, smoker, seeks tall SWM, to share love, friendship. ☎15742

Nice and cute. 19-year-old, hazel eyes, enjoys going out, quiet times, movies. ISO SBM, 19-23, for friendship possibly more. ☎15762

Nice Lady, SBF, 30, enjoys movies, quiet times. Seeks attractive SM, 25-35, for possible relationship. Race unimportant. ☎15642

Open to relationship. SWF, 35, 5'5", professional. Enjoys dining, movies, theater, cultural events, Blues hockey. ISO adventurous, romantic S/DWM, 33-40. ☎15492

Outgoing SWF, 39, various interests, seeking Gentleman, 38-45, for one-on-one relationship, sincere individuals need apply only. ☎15653

Outgoing, friendly SWF, 18, 5'6", blond/brown, likes walks in the park, candlelight dinners: Seeking SBM, 18-29, for relationship. ☎15524

Outgoing, honest, affectionate, tall, attractive, professional DWF, 43, enjoys traveling, biking, movies. ISO honest, financially secure, bighearted, nonsmoking S/DWM, 40-50. ☎15644

Outgoing, honest DWF, 46, 5'5", 125 lbs, social drinker, smoker, likes boating and traveling. ISO S/DWM, 46-54, for friendship. ☎15800

Petite Divorced Asian ISO attractive WM, 30s, intelligent, professional, romantic, affectionate, nonsmoking, nondrinking, fit, sincere, ambitious, hardworking, family-oriented; friendship first. ☎15489

Petite, cute, professional DWF, 41, 102 lbs, great personality, enjoys cooking, home improvements and adventure. Seeking S/D/WWWM, 40-50. ☎15770

Pretty, confident, professional DWF, 20s, curvy, fit, has children, enjoys romance. Seeking handsome, sincere, secure SWM, 25-45, with own mind. ☎15640

Professional SWCF, 41, tall, slender, attractive, vegetarian, enjoys children, dogs, walks, biking, quiet conversation, holding hands. Seeks professional SWCM for relationship. ☎15522

Professional WWWF, late 40s, 5'8", redhead, outgoing, adventurous, college educated. Seeking tall WM, 45-55, financially secure, intelligent, honest, fun. Nonsmoker preferred. ☎15708

Pulchritudinous, romantic DWCF, fiftysomething, nonsmoker, nondrinker, compassionate, enthusiastic, physically, emotionally, financially fantastic. Wishing clean-shaven, successful, well-traveled, ethical DWCM, for happiness. ☎15805

Red-headed DWF, mid-40s, likes music, movies, walks, dining out, concerts. ISO S/DWM, 42-52, similar interests, who wants a relationship. ☎15572

Romantic DWF, 43, 5'3", medium build, smoker, loves to laugh and have fun. Seeking honest, easygoing Male to enjoy life with. ☎15554

Romantic DWF, 30, mother of three, ISO the love of my life. Long-term commitment, serious replies only. ☎15693

Romantic SBCF, 30, ISO professional SBCM, 30-40, for friendship, possible relationship, who enjoys music, travel, movies, quiet times, dining out. ☎15859

Romantic, caring SWF, 19, likes bowling, movies, camping. Looking for a Guy, 18-24, to hang out with and for a serious relationship. ☎15793

SBCF seeking SBCM, 37-40, for friendship, movies, conversation and to enjoy the outdoors. ☎15613

SBF, 18, 5'9", looking for attractive Male, 18-23. Like to dance, go to the movies and have long walks. ☎15508

Sharing dream, making them happen together. DWF, 43, full, hourglass figure, unpretentious, down-to-earth. Seeks one-Woman Man, who appreciates love and friendship. ☎15735

Single mom of two, enjoy movies, shopping and reading, ISO SM, 20-25, race unimportant, someone who's fun, intelligent, respectful, friendship, relationship. ☎15544

Sparkling, pretty WCF, 54, 5'8", weight proportionate, blond/brown, great sense of humor. ISO affectionate WCM, to share quality time. ☎15512

Super-sized Woman, 34, ISO Man who will treat me like I see Men treat thin Women. ☎15682

SWF, 25, blonde/hazel, seeking SWM, 25-30, who likes to go out and have a good time and likes the outdoors. ☎15484

SWF, 41, professional, Illinois area, like antiques, cooking, nature walks, movies. Seeking S/DWM, 40-50, for friendship. ☎15843

Tall SWF, 25, 6'2", brown/blue, enjoys movies, outdoors and dining out. Seeking SWM, 25-32, for possible relationship. ☎15568

Tall, attractive, young 52-year-old DWF, professional, no dependents. ISO tall Gentleman, 6'+, for friendship, monogamous relationship. ☎15670

Thick biracial beauty, 23, into movies, dancing, quiet times. ISO adventurous, vivacious Man, 23-39, for friendsip, possibly more. Race unimportant. ☎15552

Toasty, almond, slim goody; fun-loving, independent SBF; ISO tall, athletic, beautiful, blackberry Man. Must be sensitive, hardworking, independent, very adventurous, 27-32. ☎15728

Twice Divorced, twice Single. White Female, 40, 5'5", 126 lbs, smoker, auburn/hazel, ISO S/DWM, 35-45, medium build. ☎15763

Unexpectedly mischievous SWF, 30, professional, attractive, classy, romantic. ISO SWM, 30-40, honest, attractive, emotionally and financially secure, loves children. ☎15565

Vivacious, attractive, well-traveled, versatile, spontaneous, blonde, cute DWF, 40-ish, 5'6", enjoys fine arts. Seeking attractive soulmate, 40-58, 5'9"+. ☎15709

Wanted: an honest, affectionate, humorous, 45 to 55-year-old S/DWM by this attractive, red-headed, blue-eyed, full-figured SWF. ☎15507

Witchy, strong, slim SWF, 40s, 5'7", wants stronger, loving, caring S/DWM, 45-55, outdoorsman, who will spoil the witch. ☎15740

WWWF, 54, fun-loving, full-figured, blonde/blue, likes movies, romantic evenings, quiet times. ISO SWM, honest, dependable, no head games, monogamous relationship. ☎15797

WWWF, outgoing, active, young 60-year-old, many interests. If you are a stick in the mud... don't call me. ☎15812

Ads from Men

22-year-old SWM, 6', 190 lbs. ISO S/DWF, 22-30, for companionship. ☎15618

23-year-old, romantic SWM, ISO a Lady to romance until her heart's content, who's a n/s with a good personality. ☎15631

33-year-old SWM, 5'9", 170 lbs, with tattoos. Seeking SWF, 30-40, who loves camping and the outdoors for relationship. ☎15617

34-year-old Single parent of two. Attractive DWM, very honest, caring, enjoys homelife. Seeking attractive, slender, honest, caring Female. Kids okay. ☎15657

35, tall DWM, seeking honest S/DWF, 25-38, who enjoys movies and the outdoors. ☎15700

40-year-old DWM, marketing director, 5'6", 175 lbs, honest, loving, nice Guy, looking for special Lady to share life's events. ☎15685

42-year-old DWM, nice Guy, like kids, outdoor activities, sporting events, dining and dancing. ISO S/DF, for friendship and companionship. ☎15823

45-year-old DWM, easygoing Libra, smoker, country music, loves kids. Seeking WF, 25-44, for dating, maybe more. ☎15844

46-year-old lonesome cowboy ISO lonesome cowgirl, 35-50, who likes country music, horses, humor, holding hands, to ride off into sunset. ☎15588

53, DWM, 6'3", 200 lbs, ISO slender Lady, who enjoys wine country, live theater, dining, walks and lots of conversation. ☎15667

53-year-old, down-to-earth DWM, easy to be with, good sense of humor, varied interests, smoker. Seeking SWF, 45-60, for best friendship, more. ☎15828

55, attractive DWM, 5'11", 175 lbs, gray/brown, smoker, social drinker, construction worker. Seeks very attractive, sexy country Girl, for 50-50, long-term relationship. ☎15676

Accomodating SWM, Harley rider, living American dream, degreed, honest, affectionate, childless. Enjoys dining, movies, quiet evenings. ISO mature, fun-loving WF, 20-40. ☎15755

Active, good-looking SWCM, 33, 5'10", 160 lbs, blonde/blue, muscular, honest, sincere. ISO petite, shapely, nonsmoking, Catholic SWF counterpart for relationship. ☎15701

Active, young 50, DWM, 5'11", 190 lbs, handsome, financially secure, excellent condition. Seeking first class Lady for fun, pleasure, travel. ☎15826

Adventurous DWM, 54, 6'3", 205 lbs, ISO energetic, very attractive, height and weight proportionate, educated S/DWF, 40-55, n/s, social drinker. ☎15702

Affectionate SM, 26, 5'8", 180 lbs, brown/brown, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeking short, shy SF, 19-25, friendship first. Race open. ☎15734

Affectionate, caring, attractive DWM, 35, 5'9", 160 lbs, enjoys the outdoors, movies and dancing. ISO S/DWF, 28-38, for friendship/relationship. ☎15766

Affectionate DWM, 38, 6'3", 200 lbs, hardworking, varied interests, ISO affectionate SWF, 30-50, to spend time with. ☎15818

African king seeks his Nubian queen. Looking for someone who is honest, sincere, caring and sharing for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15777

Amiable, fun-loving, disabled, romantic SWM, 34, 5'8", 185 lbs, brown/hazel, enjoy photography, fishing, camping, etc. ISO considerate, fun-loving SWF, 25-45, companionship, possible relationship. ☎15714

Assembly of God churchgoer. DWCM, 43, outgoing, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeking devoted, trustworthy WCF, 35-51, to share the word of God. ☎15840

Athletic DWM, 46, 5'9", 165 lbs, nonsmoker, financially secure. Enjoys outdoors, boating, dining out, antiques, movies. Seeks relationship with DWF, 30-45, intelligent, athletic, honest, attractive, compassionate, sense of humor. ☎15604

Athletic SWM, 26, 5'10", 160 lbs, loves blues, hockey, movies, working out. ISO someone to share quiet evenings, no drinking/drugs. ☎15820

Athletic, financially independent SWM, 27, seeking SWF, 27-30, interested in music and more. Possible long-term relationship. ☎15602

Attentive SWM, 27, 5'7", brown/blue, n/s, offering respect, fidelity, stability, warmth, affection, patience, honesty. ISO serious, thoughtful relationship. ☎15633

Attractive, easygoing SWM, 37, 5'7", 165 lbs, very lovable, enjoys music, quiet evenings. Seeking SWF, 23-38, for possible relationship. ☎15611

Attractive SBM, 20, enjoys dining out and having fun. ISO SB/WF, 20-25, with similar interests, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15626

Attractive, professional DWM, 35, 5'10", 180 lbs, brown/green, no children, seeking sincere S/DWF, 26-35. No games, no children. ☎15665

Attractive SWM, 34, 5'7", caring, honest, supportive and affectionate. ISO honest, caring, small-medium S/DW/A/Native American Female, 20-34. ☎15668

Attractive SM, 21, 6'2", 175 lbs, brown/brown. Seeking Girl who likes to go out all the time and have fun. ☎15692

Attractive WM, 20, 5'9", seeking SWF, who's not into head games, who's truthful and honest. Friendship first, possible relationship. ☎15711

Attractive SWM, 23, enjoys going out, traveling and having fun. Seeking attractive SWF who's truthful and honest. ☎15715

Attractive DWM, 40, 6', 225 lbs. Enjoys kids, all types of music and dancing. Seeks attractive WF, for long-term relationship. ☎15730

Attractive WM, 24, 5'9", black/hazel, athletic, spontaneous, good morals, zest for life, caring. Seeking attractive WF, 21-29, with similar qualities. ☎15745

Attractive, clean-cut DWM, 41, enjoys many activities. Seeking fit S/DWF, 25-45, for possible long-term relationship. Kids ok. ☎15749

Attractive, tall SWM, 31, blonde/blue, fantastic personality, very friendly. Seeks attractive, educated SWF, 25-36, for long-term relationship. ☎15767

Attractive, athletic SWM, 38, brown hair/eyes, nonsmoker, social drinker with very muscular build, ISO petite, attractive, fit S/DW/HF. ☎15779

Attractive DWM, 40s, South County area, ISO attractive SWF, 35-47, weight proportionate, easygoing, nice person for friendship, dating, movies, shopping. ☎15791

Attractive, caring DWM, 47, brown/brown, enjoys outdoors, dining out, ISO attractive S/DWF, 42-52. ☎15801

Average-looking SWM, 60, nonsmoker, nondrinker, ISO slender WF, 40-60, under 5'6", who enjoys quiet evenings, flea markets, auctions, camping, togetherness. ☎15658

Black gem, 39, be mine. 6'1", radiant as sun. Love is king. Let's fling. ☎15757

Blonde/blue DWM, 47, father of one beautiful little girl. Seeking full-figured, affectionate, giving, loving, passionate S/DWF, for serious relationship. ☎15804

Blue collar Man! SWM, 28, 5'10", 180 lbs, fit, but shy. ISO SF, 21-30, likes sports, outdoors, dining; friendship, possible relationship. ☎15850

Blue jean businessman, 39, 5'7", 135 lbs, smoker, seeking S/DWF, 37-41, height/weight proportionate, friendship, love, marriage. ☎15733

Caring DWM, attractive, financially secure, loves kids and animals. Seeking slender WF, 25-40, similar interests. ☎15629

Caring DWM, 35, 5'10", 175 lbs, financially secure, affectionate, easygoing, romantic, fit. Enjoy outdoors and travel. Seeking proportionate S/DWF, 25-36. ☎15829

Caring SWM, 34, sensitive, down-to-earth, college educated, nonsmoker. Looking for kind, honest WF, 25-41, medium build, seeking long-term relationship. ☎15856

Caring, attractive, affectionate DWCM. Seeks S/DCF, 38-45, nonsmoker, nondrinker, likes church, dining, planning dreams. ☎15645

Down-to-earth SWM, 23, ISO SWF, 18+, average build, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15599

Down-to-earth, sincere, spontaneous, romantic SWM, 33, 5'11", 185 lbs, enjoys life, has a goal; seeking SF. ☎15621

Dream love, where are you? DWM seeks S/DF, 21-45, for fun and good times together. ☎15590

DWCM, 44, 5'7", 155 lbs, brown/blue, n/s, n/d, enjoys movies, dining, seeking DWF, 40-45, without small children. ☎15814

DWCM, 60, 5'8", 170, nonsmoker, nondrinker, affectionate, loves animals and the arts, flea markets. ISO W/HF, 40 plus, 130 lbs. ☎15636

DWM with children seeking WF for fun and intelligent conversation. Nonsmoker, 5'10", 190 lbs. Eclectic tastes, open to anything new. ☎15666

DWM, 34, 5'7", 155 lbs, professional, attractive, romantic, outgoing, no kids. Seeking proportionate, attractive, successful, nonsmoking S/DWF, 24-35. Possible relationship. ☎15821

DWM, 41, smoker, social drinker, likes outdoors. Seeks SWF, 35-50, St. Charles, O'Fallon area. ☎15827

DWM, 46, 6', 185 lbs, business owner, is looking for a n/s Female for fun and romance. ☎15792

DWM, 55, 180 lbs, 6', enjoys horses, movies, ISO SWF, 45-60, for a relationship and more. ☎15831

DWM, 60, 5'10", n/s, likes cultural and outdoor activities. Seeking tall SWF, 48-55, to share life and love. ☎15615

DWM, early 40s, 6', 220 lbs, dark complexion, dark hair and eyes; seeking height and weight proportionate WF, 25-45, for serious relationship. ☎15697

DWM, smoker, social drinker, height/weight proportionate. ISO S/DWF, height/weight proportionate, for fun and friendship. ☎15824

DWM, young 48, 170 lbs, 5'9", fit, attractive, n/s. Seeking attractive to very attractive S/DWF, 38-48, 5'-5'6", weight proportionate. ☎15825

Easy to be with SBM, 35, good sense of humor, seeking WF, for best friends, possible relationship. ☎15703

Easy to be with SBM, 34, 5'7". Enjoys bowling, horseback riding, and watching sports. ISO SBF, 25-35, full-figured, same interests. ☎15704

Easygoing DWM, 38, 6'1", 303 lbs, enjoys bowling, dining out, dancing, romance. Seeks SWF, 35-40, prefer nonsmoker, friends possible relationship. ☎15720

Educated SWM, 6'3", 175 lbs, interested in arts, music, sports. Seeks slender SF, 27-34, for friendship first, possible long-term relationship. ☎15605

Educated, humorous, laid-back SWCM, 50s, active, sports-minded. ISO 45 to 55-year-old, for companionship, possible serious relationship. ☎15603

Educated, employed, 29-year-old SWCM, 5'10", 145 lbs, blonde/blue, n/s, homeowner. ISO talkative SWF for friendship, possible commitment. ☎15795

Educated, humorous, stable SWCM, 53, 6', 180 lbs, social smoker, nondrinker. Enjoys antiques, auctions, garage sales. ISO Lady, 45-58. ☎15852

Ex-football player, loves walks in the park, loves to go to baseball and football games. Looking for SWF. ☎15790

Fun-loving Italian, easy to talk, adventurous, fast cook, caring, compassionate, very romantic and a great sense of humor. ISO nice, caring WF, 22-29. ☎15595

Fun-loving BM, 22, enjoys bike riding, park walks and travel. Seeking outgoing Female, 22-35, who likes to have fun; race unimportant. ☎15673

Fun-loving, honest SWM, 25, 6', 180 lbs. ISO SWF, 22-28, who likes bowling, movies and romantic evenings for relationship. ☎15684

Fun-loving, honest SWM, 21, likes movies and long drives. Seeks SWF, 18-23, similar interests. All inquiries answered. ☎15690

Fun-loving, outgoing SWM, 27, enjoys fishing, dancing, hunting, movies. Seeking S/DWF, 21-30, with similar interests. Friendly dating first, maybe more. ☎15696

Gentleman with future! Nice-looking, easygoing DWM, 46, 6', 170, ISO marriage-minded, lovable, attractive, slender Lady, 5'4"-5'8", to love and cherish 'til... ☎15764

Good-looking DWM, 6', 200 lbs, blonde/blue, likes movies, eating out, homelife. Seeking attractive S/DWF, 25-40, relationship/more. Metro East. ☎15680

Good-looking, very secure SWM, homeowner, loves children. Looking for very honest and secure SWF for good times, possibly a long-term relationship. ☎15725

Great Guy. DWM, 40, 5'10", 165 lbs, nice build, likes outdoors, dining out, quiet times. ISO attractive, petite Lady, similar interests. ☎15649

Handsome WM, 47, 6'2", 190 lbs, light hair, green eyes. Looking for 34-44, pretty, smart, cuddly, likes outdoors, wants relationship. ☎15841

Handsome, affectionate, educated DWM, 42, enjoys the arts, fitness, outdoors, romance, seeking attractive, balanced, natural Woman, 30s-40s, nonsmoker, n/drugs. ☎15686

Handsome, gentle BM, easygoing, good sense of humor, varied interests, smoker. Seeking friendship, possible relationship with a SBF, 18-25. ☎15710

Harley rider, SWM, 33, 5'7", 180 lbs, romantic, nondrinker, drug-free; enjoy Harleys, outdoors, camping. Seeking attractive, intelligent, petite SWF, 18-40, for romance. ☎15849

Height/weight proportionate DWM, 26, 6'1", seeks intellectual WF, 21-30, height/weight proportionate, for friendship (maybe relationship) and fun. ☎15628

Hi! Self-employed WM, 26, 5'11", 180 lbs, seeking W/HF, 18-27, good moral values. Nondrinker. ☎15761

Honest, South County, SWM, 47, 6'3", 210 lbs, enjoys everything about life. ISO S/DWF, 35-49, who also enjoys life. Monogamous relationship. ☎15858

Humorous, kind of shy SWM, 29, short red hair, beard. Seeking SWF, 28-40, to get together for movies, concerts, quiet dinners. ☎15592

Illinois DWM, 41, 6'1", enjoys outdoors, dining out, quiet times. Seeks S/DWF, sincere, caring, similar interests. Possible relationship. Kids ok. ☎15635

Indiana Jones SWM, 46. ISO Female, 35-50, to enjoy movies, dining out, dancing, good conversation, quality relationship. ☎15698

Intelligent SWM, 19, 6', 130 lbs, long red hair, blue eyes, loves to party and hang out. ISO SWF, 18-22. ☎15591

Intelligent and funny SWM, 24, 6', athletic, brown/blue, loves cooking, camping, evenings out. ISO SWF, 21-30, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15600

Irish Catholic DWM, 55, dark/brown, nonsmoker, light drinker; enjoy tennis, travel and Italian restaurants. ISO slim, nonsmoking WF, 40-60. ☎15802

ISO fun, goodhearted SW/biracial F, 21-33, slim-medium. I'm a handsome, physically, emotionally fit Black Guy, 6'2", romantic with schoolboy playfulness. ☎15789

Italian stallion, young 40+, 6', 180 lbs WM, professional, nonsmoker, with looks and sense of caring. Seeks WF, 35-42, weight proportionate. ☎15655

Jefferson County SWM, 43, 5'11", 145 lbs, brown/brown, attractive, seeks marriage-minded S/DWF, 26-40, who likes country living, and children. ☎15737

Kind compassionate nurse, 29 years old, interests are movies, dining. ISO S/DF, 25-35, for serious long-term relationship. ☎15753

Kind, caring, sensitive SWM, 26, 5'9", 130 lbs, enjoys outdoors, photography, art. Seeking SWF, 21-27, who enjoys the same. ☎15839

Muscular SWM, 31, 5'11", 200 lbs, nonsmoker, no dependents, likes outdoors, live music; seeking muscular SWF, 26-36, no dependents, similar interests. ☎15837

Music professional, SWM, youthful, middle years. Seeking company of professional F, for friendship and closer companionship. Christian living and caring. ☎15741

My heart awaits. SWM, 32, 5'10", 150 lbs, brown/blue, ISO thin SWF, 19-28. If you can touch my heart, I'm yours. ☎15772

New to area. DWM, 5'7", 160 lbs, work nights. ISO WF, 35-45, to show me around, conversation, fun times, maybe more. ☎15808

New to city. Honest, outgoing SBM, 34, 170 lbs, 5'9", loves movies, dining, being with special someone. Seeking SF, race unimportant. ☎15769

Nice-looking, professional SWM, 36, 5'9", 165 lbs, no children, many interests: biking, rollerblading, dining out, movies. ISO slender SWF, 26-34. ☎15678

Nice-looking DWM ISO outgoing SWF, 21-37, who enjoys the outdoors, movies, sports, working out, moonlight walks and fishing. ☎15768

Outgoing SWM, 21, like movies, dancing and all sports. ISO possible long-term relationship with an easygoing SWF, 18-24. ☎15648

Outgoing SWM, 24, 5'9", muscular build, short brown/brown, clean-cut, nonsmoker. Seeking honest, loyal and caring SWF, 20-30, nonsmoker. ☎15688

Outgoing SWM, looking for SWF, 22-28, smoking and drinking fine, who enjoys going out to have a good time. ☎15857

Outgoing, romantic SWM, 41, likes bowling, dancing, dining. ISO honest, caring, Catholic SWF, 38-42, similar interests, for fun, friendship, possible long-term relationship. ☎15754

Physically fit SWM, 55, 5'7", height/weight proportionate, enjoys movies, concerts, plays, sports and traveling. ISO attractive SWF, 35+. St. Charles, O'Fallon. ☎15815

Political candidate, Democrat, attractive, smart underdog, very dangerous, romantic. Seek independently financially secure wife, to fund mayoral campaign. Republicans considered. ☎15784

Professional DBM, 6'5", enjoy walking and movies. ISO nonsmoking, drug-free SF, for possible relationship. ☎15652

Professional WWWM, 39, 5'10", 160 lbs, brown/blue, financially secure, many interests. Seeking slender W/AF, 22-37, nonsmoker, for monogamous relationship. ☎15683

Professional DWM, 50, 6', proportionate, humorous, honest, caring, enjoys dining, movies, shows, homelife. Seeks long-term relationship with attractive SWF, 40-52. ☎15724

Professional WM, 47, 5'11", 170 lbs, love dining out, theaters, parks, outdoors, camping, music, dancing. Seeking solid relationship with Female, 20-52. ☎15747

Professional DWM, 42, brown/blue, like movies; cookouts, trips, art, holidays. ISO SWF, 18-40, weight proportionate. ☎15807

Professional SBM, mid-50s, with post-graduate degree. Seeks mature Lady, 35-50, for friendship and dating. Interests: politics and current affairs. ☎15813

Professionally employed DWM, 41, 5'11", 150 lbs, nonsmoker, social drinker, live in Crestwood with children; seeking slender, attractive WF. Dating, long-term relationship. ☎15834

Professional SWM, 42, 5'6", enjoys sports, cooking and music, seeking open-minded S/DWF, 30-40, with similar interests, for possible relationship. ☎15851

Professional pilot, 33, 5'11", 180 lbs, blonde/brown, handsome, likes traveling, gourmet cooking, piano, movies, animals, adventure. Seeking attractive SWF. ☎15853

Reliable, dependable SBM, 26, enjoys music, church, bowling, quiet times. Seeks attractive, fun-loving SBF conversationalist, 19-27, for companionship and relationship. ☎15607

Romantic SWM, 35, enjoys outdoor activities, movies, and meeting new people. Seeking SWF with similar interests; preferably full-figured. ☎15679

Romantic SBM, 33, enjoys weightlifting, music, dining, quality conversation. Seeking S/DBF, 28-40, with similar interests. Friendly dating first. ☎15748

Romantic SBM, 38, 5'6", self-employed, enjoy travel, all sports and camping. Seeking attractive, lovable SF, 18-45. Must be honest and sincere. ☎15771

Romantic, loving, affectionate DWM, 34, 5'9", auburn/brown, many interests. ISO mature, feminine SWF, 25-45, medium to full-figured, for long-term relationship. ☎15681

Romantic, affectionate SBM, brown-skinned, 33, 5'6", 195 lbs, intelligent, professional, business owner, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeking SBF, 25-35. Serious friendship, possible relationship. ☎15756

Romantic, monogamous father of one, 48, light smoker, drinker likes quiet times, movies, music, reading, dining. ISO SBF, 35-50, similar, serious relationship. ☎15794

SAM, 21, hardworking cook, seeks SA/WF, 21, who enjoys movies, quiet times at home, dancing. ☎15785

Santa please! Leather and lace, body and face, willing to stay at my place. SM, 5'9", 180. Permanent relationship. ☎15830

SBM, 19, ISO Female, 19-23, race unimportant, smoker, enjoys having fun and going to parties, for a serious relationship. No games. ☎15627

SBM, 25, outgoing, fun, enjoys evenings at home. Looking for possible relationship. ☎15783

Seeking dancing partner! DWM, 62, 5'7", 160 lbs, ISO attractive dancing partner, 45-60, prefer St. Charles or St. Peters area. ☎15643

Seeking future Mrs. Professional, attractive SWM, 44, sense of humor. Seeking S/DWF, under 40, height/weight proportionate. ☎15744

Serious about serious. WWWM, 47, 6'2", 235 lbs, red/blue, truck driver. ISO totally honest, sincere, S/DWF, for monogamous relationship. ☎15836

Shy SWM, 18, 6'5", looking for fun and adventure with attractive, slender, nonsmoking SWF, 18-20. ☎15646

Sincere, attractive SWM, 30, 5'9", brown/blue, enjoys outdoors, movies, kids. Seeking attractive, height/weight proportionate SF, friendship, possible relationship. ☎15707

Sincere, romantic WWWM, 63, 5'9", enjoys music, dancing, walking, quiet evenings. Seeks Lady, 55-65, for relationship, possibly more. ☎15731

Single dad, likes walks in the park and loves going to baseball, football games. Seeking SWF, 30-45, for relationship. ☎15782

Single dad of two, 35, 5'10", 180 lbs, enjoy outdoors, camping, movies. Seeking S/DWF, 30-40, slim, attractive, friendship, possible relationship. ☎15798

Single WM, 57, 6', 190 lbs, country boy. ISO thin, petite F, 48-58, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15726

SM, 26, 5'8", 150 lbs, intelligent, fit, looking for attractive SWF, who enjoys sports, outdoors, movies and quiet times. ☎15854

Sort of shy, friendly DWM, young 50s, physically fit, nonsmoker, nondrinker, no dependents, financially/emotionally secure, likes working out, seeking somewhat attractive Woman, 35-55, for friendship and dancing. ☎15687

South city, smoker, SWM, 32, blond, 5'10", 150 lbs, never-married, no kids, good-looking, clean, casual, country boy wants your love. ☎15641

St. Louis newcomer, BM, 6'1", 210 lbs, would like to meet interesting Woman, age and race open. ☎15601

SWM ISO petite or average SWF, 18-20, who loves to party and just hang out, and who's looking for a serious relationship. ☎15835

SWM looking for a SWF with similar interests: horseback riding, outdoor activities, watching TV, etc. ☎15705

SWM, 19, 6'3", 150 lbs, red/blue, seeking WF, age open, for fun times, friendship, possible relationship. ☎15727

SWM, 20, fun, outgoing, enjoys life, seeking SF, 18-23, who's athletic and shares similar interests. ☎15624

SWM, 21, looking for SWF, 20-25, enjoys outdoors, animals, having a good time. Possible relationship. ☎15663

SWM, 23, 5'2", 110 lbs, brown/blue, seeks SWF, 21-26, nonsmoker, romantic nights on the town, friends, possible relationship. ☎15659

SWM, 29, 6', 225 lbs, thoughtful, reliable, hard worker and county worker. ISO SWF, 21-30, for possible relationship. ☎15838

SWM, 34, looking for SWF, 32-40, for serious relationship, possible marriage. ☎15612

SWM, 43, 6', ocean blue eyes, professional. Enjoys biking, running, cooking, fishing, travel, movies. Straightforward, caring, seeking possible relationship. ☎15662

SWM, 45, 6', 190 lbs, likes the country, motorcycles, computers, much more. Seeks mature, permanent companion. No games or girls please. ☎15787

Tall and slender DWM, 49, 6', brown hair and eyes. ISO petite, slender brunette, brown eyes, same age, for companionship, dating. ☎15765

Very good-looking SWM, 40, 6', 175 lbs, seeking attractive, curvaceous BF for fun times, possible relationship. North County preferred. ☎15674

Very honest Man, 5'2", blue eyes, ISO WF, 21-35, no games. Like music, dancing, barbecues, walking, for long-term relationship. ☎15593

Wanted: Humorous, affectionate S/DWF, 25-39. Trustworthy DWM, 36, 6', 180 lbs, many interests, seeks Lady for fun, dating, possible relationship. ☎15634

West County DWM, 45, 5'10", degreed, handsome, trim, humorous. Seeking same in slender S/DWF, 34-45, for fun, friendship, maybe more. ☎15723

WM, 25, 6'2", blond hair, 210 lbs, looking for F, for an easy relationship with no games involved. Serious replies only. ☎15619

WM, average-looking, 6'2", 170 lbs, early 60s, seeking WF, early 50s, active, proportionate weight, north area; for long-term relationship. ☎15796

WWWM, 52, professional, hardworking, stable, affectionate, athletic, n/s, n/d. Attractive, slim, caring, 5'8", 165 lbs, enjoy sports, concerts, dancing. ☎15606

Young-at-heart DWM, young 52, 5'9", 175 lbs, above average appearance. Seeking attractive, affectionate S/DWF, nonsmoker, 5'4"+, with sense of humor. ☎15832

Singles Over 50

Active, retired RN, WWWF, 65, homeowner, enjoys gardening, seeking Gentleman, 65-85, for marriage. ☎15529

Arnold SWCF, nonsmoker, nondrinker, affectionate redhead, enjoys country. Seeking Christian teddy bear type Gentleman, over 50, homeowner, with no dependents. ☎15545

Attractive, petite WWWF, n/d, n/s, likable, enjoys almost everything. Would like to meet tall, good-looking Man, 65-70. ☎15609

Attractive, funny DWF 62, 5'6", 130 lbs, enjoys music, travel, walking, dancing. ISO Gentleman with similar interests, nonsmoker, South County. ☎15842

Attractive, vivacious, cultured SWF, emotionally secure, enjoys music, Europe, golf, healthy living. Seeks educated SWM, 55+, to share life's passions. ☎15846

Caring, thoughtful, humorous WF, 60s, nonsmoker, likes dancing, quiet times and socializing with friends, seeking tall WM, 63-75, 5'10"+. ☎15669

DWF, 55, 5'8", 180 lbs, smoker, enjoy fishing, walks, movies, quiet evenings. ISO WM with similar interests, for possible relationship. ☎15625

Educated, problem-free homebody, good cook, WWWF, 64, likes oldies and dancing, flea markets, etc. Seeking Gentleman, same age, for companionship. ☎15751

Energetic WWBF, enjoys dining out and dancing. Seeking SBM, over 50, with similar interests, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎15672

Lively, confident DWM, 60, seeking young Woman, age and race open, providing she's vibrant, spontaneous, enthusiastic and honest. ☎15639

Open to relationship. WWWF, 65, in good health, 5'7", 158 lbs, enjoys travel, having fun and dining out. Illinois resident preferred. ☎15694

Petite WWWF, 68+, active, likes most everything. Seeking well-groomed, slim SWM, 68-73 or under. Six Flags area. ☎15848

Professional DWF, 50, blonde/blue, easygoing, attractive, active. Seeks honest S/DWM, secure, spontaneous, people person, age open. ☎15651

Saint Charles DWF, 51, sincere, honest, devoted, humorous, excellent cook. ISO WM, 47-55, likes country western, oldies, movies, dining, quiet evenings. ☎15776

Tall Lady. SBF, 52, sincere, caring. Enjoy dining, church, etc. ISO tall SBM, 52-60, energetic, good disposition, financially secure. Friendship first. ☎15630

WWWCF, early 60s, enjoys travel, movies, music, sports. Seeking S/D/WWWM, 60-65, for friendship/relationship. ☎15632

WWWF, 50s, who enjoys gardening, barbecuing, picnicking, walks, grandchildren and quiet times together. Seeking SWM for companionship and maybe long-term relationship. ☎15516

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McPike admits giving money to GOP

Former Illinois House Majority Leader Jim McPike said contributions by his lobbying firm to Republican candidates should not be considered unusual since his partner, Gene Hoffman, is a Republican.

McPike, the former Democratic state representative from Alton, responded to published reports about contributions made by his firm and from a fund of more than $400,000 left over from his campaign coffers while in office.

Aside from pointing out that his partner is a Republican, McPike said he did not want to comment on the reports.

"I'm trying to ignore it. That's why I got out of public office: because I didn't want my name in the papers," he said.

Reports said the lobbying company has given more than four times more money to Republicans than Democrats.

The lobbying company, Hoffman-McPike Ltd. of Oak Brook, has given $8,450 to Republican political committees that help GOP statehouse candidates and just $2,000 to Democrats, reports said.

Illinois Board of Elections records show that McPike's political fund has contributed $4,000 toward the re-election of at least six incumbent Republican lawmakers. The fund also has given $8,100 to Democratic candidates.

McPike declined to say why he was now using money raised for Democrats to support Republicans, but he said his campaign fund has been making such contributions for the two years since he left public office.

"There is nothing new about it. It's been going on for two years," he said.

McPike, himself, recently gave $500 to state Rep. Ron Stephens, a Republican from Troy, whom the fund once worked to unseat.

McPike gave no money to Stephens' Democratic opponent, Troy Mayor Velda Armes.

"I called the man and asked him, and I have not received a penny," Armes said.

McPike said he does not know Armes and knows nothing about her. He said her comments appeared to be sour grapes because she received no money.

He said the $500 contribution to Stephens was made at a fund-raising golf outing Stephens held in August. But asked whether he now considers Stephens a political ally, McPike said, "I retired two years ago."

When McPike left the House in 1994, the law allowed him to keep several large political funds raised while he was majority leader. The money can only be spent for political or charitable purposes and is not to be used for private business or personal expenses, although other former lawmakers have given themselves salaries from similar funds.

At the end of 1995, one fund still had $448,000, according to the State Board of Elections.

McPike retired from the Legislature in 1994 after 18 years, 12 as majority leader.

Shortly after retiring, he and Hoffman, a former state representative from Oak Brook, formed a lobbying partner ship.

Hoffman was a member of the House from 1957 to 1991, the last several years as part of the Republican leadership.

— From The Telegraph

Military

Navy Airman Recruit Charles R. Betts, son of Charles R. Betts of Granite City, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes.

During the eight-week program, Betts completed a variety of training, which included classroom study, practical hands-on instruction, and an emphasis on physical fitness. In particular, Betts learned naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and survival, and a variety of safety skills required for working around ships and aircraft.

Betts and other recruits also received instruction on the Navy's core values — honor, courage, and commitment — and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct. Betts joins 55,000 men and women who will enter the Navy this year from all over the country.

Men and women train together from their first day in the Navy just as they do aboard ships and at shore commands around the world. To reinforce the team concept, Betts and other recruits also were trained in preventing sexual harassment and ensuring equal opportunity.

Even as the naval service gets smaller over the next few years, highly motivated young people like Betts are still finding an opportunity to improve their knowledge and education as they become part of the most highly technical naval force in history. This year alone the Navy will have more than 57,000 job openings and opportunities, most of which include guaranteed training.

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by *Bob Barett*
Sears Homelife
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Fairview Heights
Q: What is the best way to pull together an eclectic group of furniture odds and ends collected over the years?
Nancy Whitley, Florissant
A: You're on the right path because you're willing to mix periods, finishes to achieve the look you want. My recommendation, in order to bring out more of your personality, would be several steps, the first of which is to take your largest piece of furniture to be the anchor to your room. That likely would be the sofa. I might suggest changing the fabric on your chairs; possibly a stripe to coordinate with a floral sofa, if that's the case. Secondly a simple change in lamp shades, to something more 90's, maybe more of the silk-type shade, would be appropriate.
The prints you are using on the walls can be coordinated by simply changing the mattes to pick a color out of the dominant trim in the room. That could also be from an area rug. The color can also be pulled from an area rug.
The key to blending is to keep things in the same color family. And simple. It's easier to add pieces to finish the room than it is to remove them.
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